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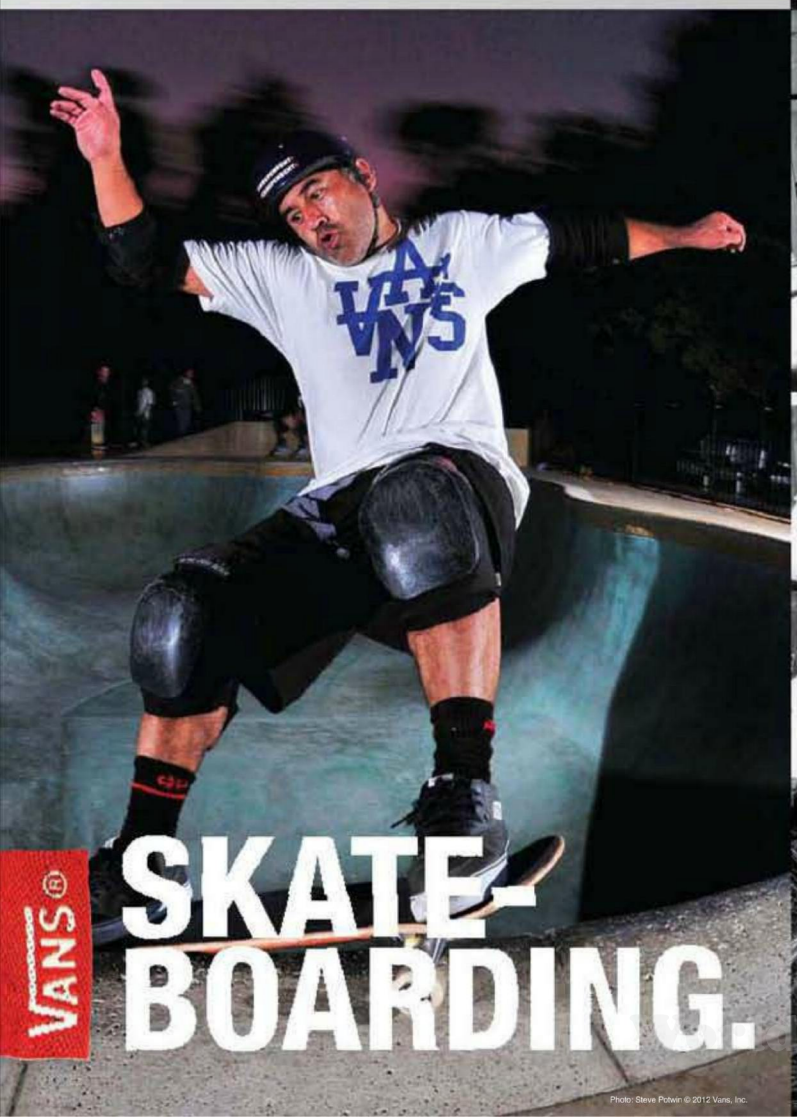
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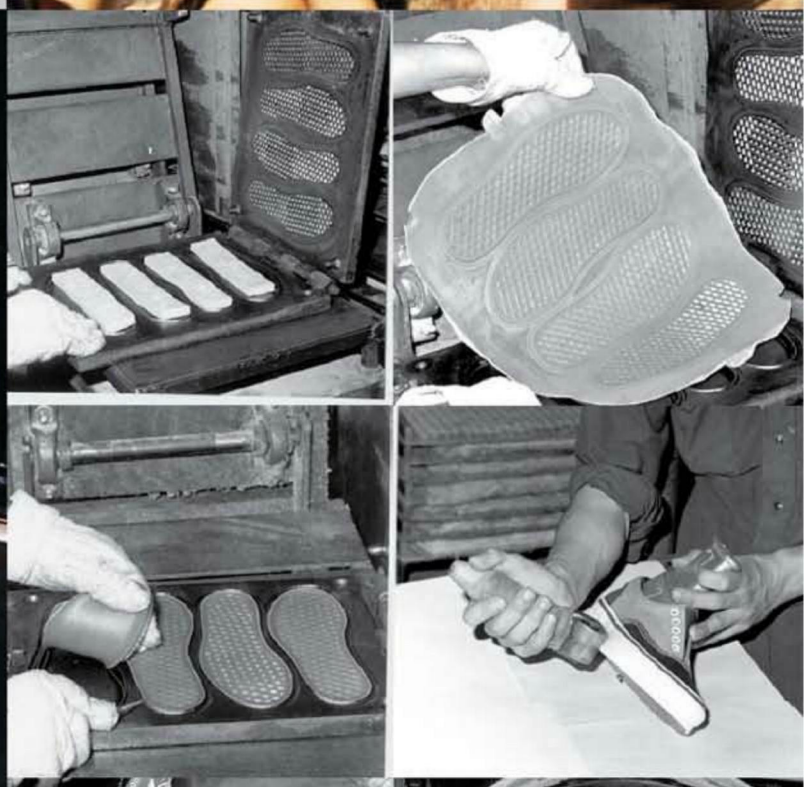
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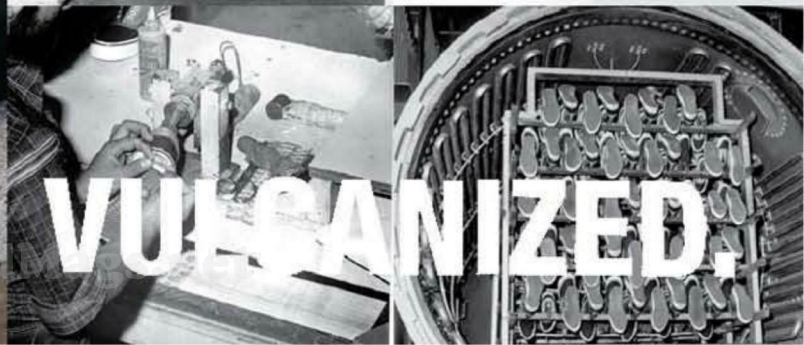
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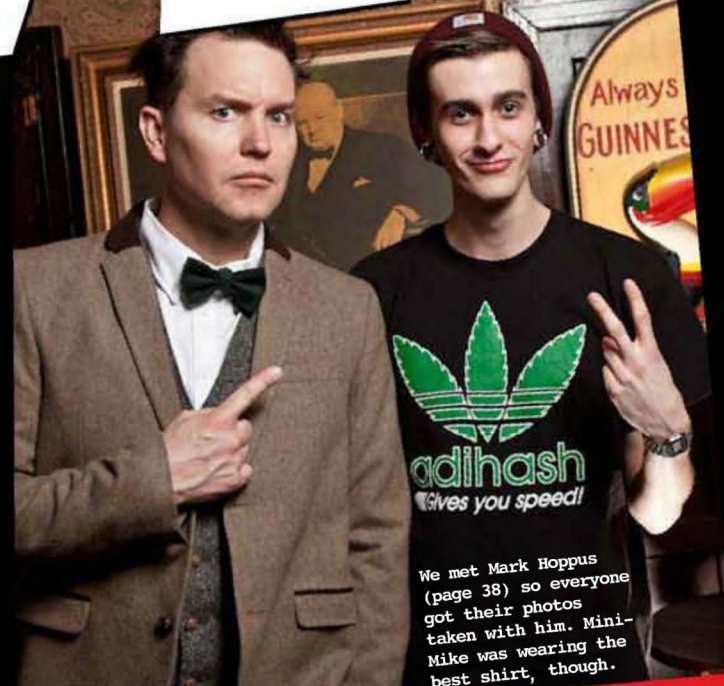


The While She Sleeps shoot (page 112) is no Photoshop job. It's clever kaleidoscopey lenses and jazzy lighting.

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It was so cold on the cover shoot (page 84) that Hannah had to get acquainted with a three-bar fire.



We met Mark Hoppus (page 38) so everyone got their photos taken with him. Mini-Mike was wearing the best shirt, though.

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We got sent this picture of a homemade Mel Clarke cruiser. Great work! you'll be hearing from our lawyers!

This is our new friend Duncan. He likes DRUGS! (page 80)

We got sent real-life Duff Beer by our friends at *firebox.com*. And then we drank it all.

Sabine, from issue 161's cover, visited, wearing a terrifying baby head. It was incredibly distressing.

Welcome to HMS FRONT





We did the obligatory fun-in-the-snow thing this month. Steve made a bear while sober and a willy while hideously drunk.



When you've finished reading the mag, you can use Chris Haslam's beard (page 46) to appear more manly.

ALOHA, READERS!

It's clearly not the summer yet, but goddamn it, it's getting nearer, and we're excited. What could be more exciting than our 1990s-influenced cover shoot, a paring of two of the raddest redheads to ever see the bottom of a bottle of Herbal Essences? Hannah and Lucy are so fit, even their nails are works of art (see page 90).

There's too much in this issue to possibly mention it all here (there's also some beautiful synchronicity – a Dude Of Sport bigging up Slayer in the same issue as a Slayer feature, and an Alt Girl bigging up Blink-182 in the same issue as Mark Hoppus – AMAZING), but here's some easy-to-miss gold:

- The headline "interview with a sex researcher" (page 68).
- A hidden Hagrid (page 123)
- The Despicable Me cutout from last issue returns (page 15).
- Helmet-strap tan-lines (page 63).
- Mike Duce's scotch egg testicles and Dec's amazing face (page 79).

Good times. Also, we finally got our Xbox fixed, and are on Xbox Live with the imaginative user name FRONTMAG – that's our stupid avatar to the right. Play with us! ***Enjoy this Aztec-patterned, rabbit-fartin', fuckin' rebellious shittin' issue.***



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DAYLIGHT RIPPERY

I'm just a working chump and I save my pennies each month to buy your top-notch publication. I was negotiating your feature with Danielle, entranced by this goddess of blondeness and boobs, even reading the interview (I was that impressed), so imagine my pain when I got to page 99/100 and all I found was a torn edge! Some crim had ripped it out! I'm no brain genius, but surely with science and all, there's a way to fit some kind of LoJack to your mags? That way I could hunt the page-stealing scum down and get revenge. Failing that, you could set me up a date with Danielle? I'm sure she'll like me, I'm a gentleman and an actual ninja.

■ *D, via e-mail*

You may be no "brain genius", D, but it's not a bad shout. Maybe we can start attaching D-locks (are they named after you?) to the front of the magazine and chaining them to shelves. And then when you give the newsagent your £3.90, he gives you a key for the D-lock and you get to keep it. It's either an amazing idea or a fucking shit one. If you are a D-lock manufacturer who fancies providing us with thousands of D-locks, please get in touch. Use the subject line, 'Ignore this e-mail'.

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The mouth from which this month's finest jibbering is muttered will be dampened with a delicously brilliant case of Tuborg's finest.





PARISIAN PISSHEAD

I am e-mailing to say that you should take your comment about Crème de Cassis (issue 165, page 27) back. It's not disgusting if you add it to Champagne like it's meant for. It makes a drink that gets you smashed, and in France it's dirt cheap. WIN!

■ *Jay, via e-mail*

Hi Jay. If you've got enough Champagne lying around that you can afford to dump something in it that tastes like traumatised Ribena, you're doing alright.



DREAM WEAVER

I was reading through the new issue when I came upon Sim-Wise's Wise Words in which she's describing her dreams. I thought I would let the FRONT team know about mine. I was in a Lethal Weapon movie and I was Riggs, only Riggs was Ron Perlman, only he was me. Me as Ron Perlman as Riggs had just been released from anger management and this parking lady was giving me a ticket. I was trying my best not to go nuts, Murtaugh was by my side trying to calm me down. Me and Murtaugh then walked down the street to discover a bank robbery in progress and went to stop it. Can't remember much after then, only one of the bank robbers asked if they could hear Morse code. Then I woke up.

■ *Kieran-lee, via e-mail*

Hi Kieran-lee, we forwarded your dream over to a psychoanalyst. He read the details, made the sign of the cross a bunch of times, downed a bottle of whiskey and muttered, "That dude's definitely into bum-fun". Make of that what you will.



A SOUR KRAUT RIDES AGAIN

Hey space cadets, just got the new issue (which is the bollocks by the way) and thought I would say, that Peter Mueller guy (Star Letter, page 10) is a cunt. This magazine is amazing, plus I have never worn a tracksuit in my life, so Peter... eat shit and die.

■ *Adam, from Essex*

Thanks Adam. We actually heard from Peter again this month – despite slagging us off, he obviously bought the mag again and saw his name in it...

"Sour Kraut"? Huh?? This is precisely the sort of thing I was referring to. I'm not from Germany – I just got back from there recently, but I didn't say that I was from there. But that's what you're all about, isn't it? Perpetrating redundant tripe that serve no purpose. In fact... [letter goes on for ages and is rubbish].

Peter Mueller, again

Hi Peter. With your German surname and German (.de) Hotmail address, can you really blame us for thinking you were German? We apologise – you're not German, Peter. German people these days are very nice – we recently went to Berlin and it was great. You're just an arsehole, Peter.



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It's pretty nice to see one or two nice pretty girls in pretty nice tees reading our incredible magazine. But when a whole house of pretty girls in pretty tees (and from what we can see, it's quite a pretty house) send in a picture of themselves reading our incredible magazine, we all jump in the air and high-five each other loads. Big, genuinely emormous love to Emma Louise and her friends, who put this up on Twitter and made the internet (and our self-esteem) a better place by doing so. Good work, lady-perverts!

FAQS

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COMICS SPECIAL

WITH MARK MILLAR



Q HOW CAN I BECOME A COMICS BIG-SHOT?

A DROP OUT OF WHATEVER YOU'RE DOING

"Drop out of university, and make sure you're on a road to disaster. Of all the successful writers I know, none of them ever completed university. A graduation photo is a mark of shame now, not an accomplishment. Only in comics, mind you."



ENJOY SPENDING TIME IN YOUR HOUSE

"Enjoying 14-hour bursts of time on your own is key. So far, I'm making being a comics writer sound like being a heroin addict. The key difference is, comics writers all end up getting fat, while heroin addicts don't. Also, be good at masturbating."

DON'T LEARN TO DRIVE

"Nobody in comics can drive. I'm not sure why, except for Alan Moore, who's usually on too many drugs to get behind two tons of metal."



DO WHAT YOU LIKE

"The biggest mistake you can make is doing things you think other people will enjoy. You think it's clever to spot a trend, but don't do it. Do exactly what you feel arsed to be doing, and if you're into it, other people will infectiously get into it. I figured that out ten years ago and it transformed my career."

BASE IT ROUND A CHARACTER

"A TV show can be based around Albert Square, but comics tend to be a guy with a cool name doing some shit. And create your own characters and worlds – most people's ambition is to do Spider-man, and it should be to do their own thing."

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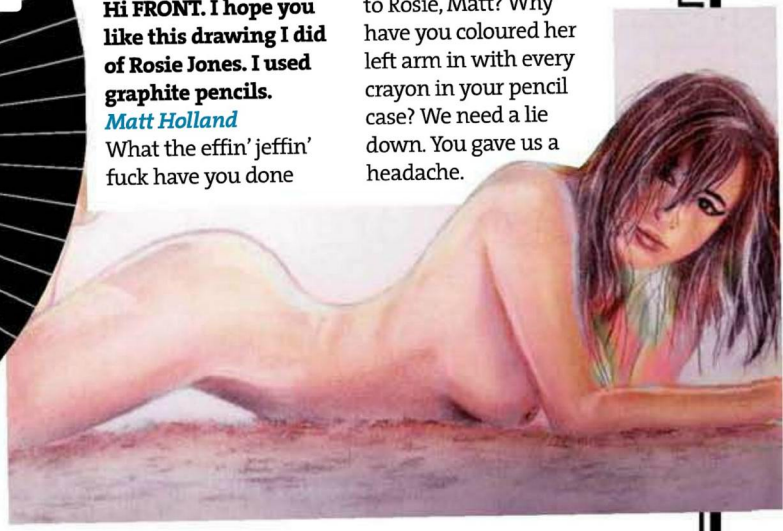
BEAT THIS

ART OF CLARKE

Yo FRONT, here's my drawing of sexy Mel Clarke's face, would greatly appreciate seeing this in the mag.
Joel Kelly, via e-mail
Good work, Joel Kelly. We especially like how soft you've made Mel's hair. It kind of looks like the soft fur on a dog's ear. We may well have looked at this drawing for too long, but definitely, DEFINITELY didn't try to stroke it through our computer screen. Ehem.

IT'S ROSIE JO-OH. OH DEAR

Hi FRONT. I hope you like this drawing I did of Rosie Jones. I used graphite pencils.
Matt Holland
What the effin' jeffin' fuck have you done to Rosie, Matt? Why have you coloured her left arm in with every crayon in your pencil case? We need a lie down. You gave us a headache.





DRAWER THINKS WRONG

Hi, thought you would like this picture of Arabella Drummond that I drew.
Niall, via e-mail
You heard the phrase 'assumption is the mother of all fuck-ups', Niall? Well in this case, that's not true. In this case, it's the mother, the grandmother and the great grandmother of all fuck-ups in the entire world ever. We don't like this, Niall. Not one tiny little bit. It scares us. x

MELTDOWWWN

Hey FRONT, here's my drawing of Danielle. I love her face so much I wish it would melt and then travel to Croydon and then seep onto my face and therefore make me her. So I drew her being a bit melty and hope that one day my wish might come true. Cheers!
Rachel, via e-mail
That's a wonderful story, Rachel. Please, keep telling it while we just go stand over there and call the emergency services, on the moving bus, far far away from you.



THAT'S NACHO DRAWING!

I made these to earn my second ever publication in a magazine. Unfortunately I can't get FRONT here in my country, so can you show this to Emily? Greetings from Mexico!
Bryan Gallardo
Man alive, look how accurate Emily's face is! You've got all the proportions correct, shaded it incredibly and got the shape of her eyes real good. Just messin', you dirty cheat, you! Busted.



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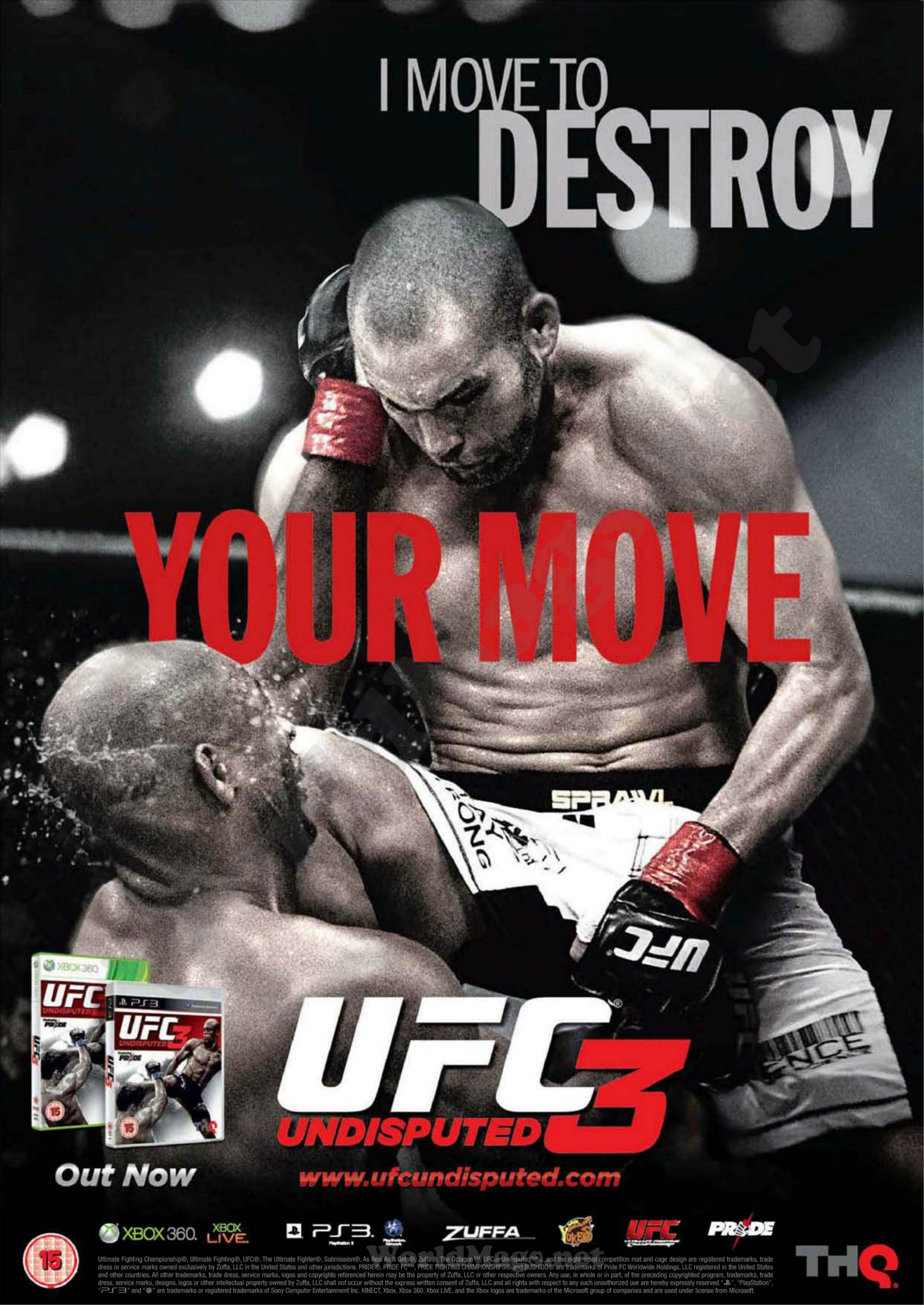
- A picture of you.
- A picture of you being an idiot-head.
- Your sexy artwork.
- A picture of you cupping your smelly genitalia.
- Anything else you think we'd like (please not your genitalia).

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SOFA, SO GOOD

"Got these pictures of Chris Merridew a few doubles down. He prides himself on being a Geordie heavyweight," says snapper ***Chris Bradbury***. Fucking hell that's dangerous, Chris. The oil in the lipstick could get into his pores and cause him weeks of agonising pustule-related pain. Those bastards will be yellow-headed mirror splatters fo' sho'.

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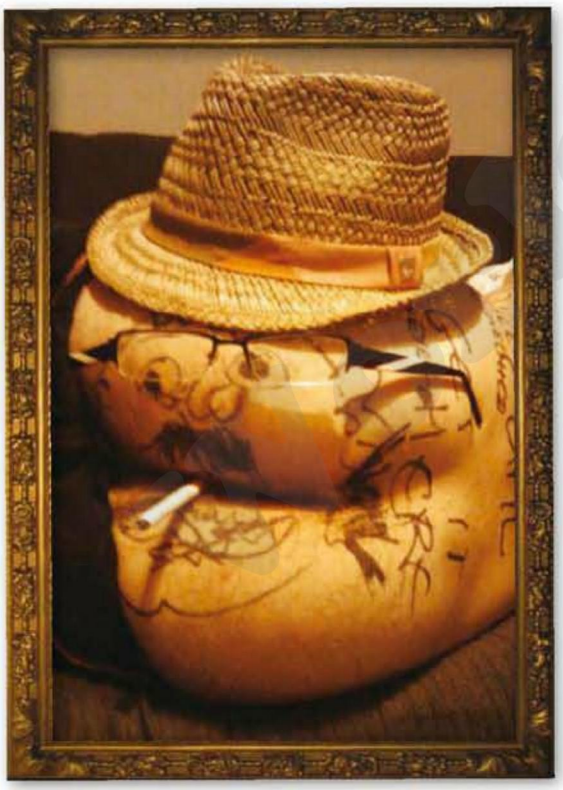
TOILET HUMOUR

"Our mate Dan had too much fun while Dehn was squeezing one out." Sorry ***James Carlisle*** but you're a liar – it doesn't look like he's enjoying it at all. Dehn doesn't look happy either, but then who wants an audience when they're blowing mud?

R.I.P McSPANNER

"We held a candlelight vigil for my mate McSpanner who was finally laid to rest after a truly horrific evening of crossdressing and sleepwalking." So, ***Defekt***, if that is your real name – cos we suspect it's not, we suspect it's really Big Gay Stu – you're fucked in the head. But still, when can we expect McSpanner's debut flatulence album? Idiots.





CRACK SHOT

"Our mate Pete after Jägermeister. He threw our shoes out in the morning for this." We don't blame him ***Pete Sims***. Altough, he did aquire a pretty nifty hat from the experience. And some NHS glassses.

SHORT ATTENTION SPAM

"Our mate Charley fell asleep so we made her into a Charley sandwich." We'll never be hungry enough to want a Charley sandwich, ever, even though ***Steph and Kellie*** have included all the classic sarnie ingredients – spam, human, an asthma pump, ketchup, mayonnaise and a pooey duvet. Mmm, poo.



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Would you like a PS3 console, a Collector's Edition of Soulcalibur V and a Nightmare framed print? Yes, you would, wouldn't you, we thought so, yes, you like those kind of things, don't you. Well, drink up and you just might bag 'em. Soulcalibur V is out now, so that's great news.



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50 PAGES OF GIRLS, BANDS AND ... OR JOKES

TRUE OR FALSE

IF REBECCA COULD GET ONE BAND TO REFORM, IT'D BE THE 1988 LIVERPOOL FC TEAM THAT SANG THE ANFIELD RAP.
FALSE: Rebecca was, however, stoked to hear Refused are back together. "Every time I hear New Noise I get all excited," she says.

SEXY LADY

REBECCA BONE

SHE LIKES STUFF WE LIKE, IS MATES WITH OUR MATES AND IS BETTER AT THE INTERNET THAN WE ARE. YOU'RE WELCOME...

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TRUE OR FALSE

A WHOLE LOAD OF FAMOUS PEOPLE COME FROM REBECCA'S HOMETOWN, INCLUDING EVERY SINGLE CONTESTANT FROM BIG BROTHER, AND JESUS.

FALSE: Every contestant on Big Brother is from Durham, while Rebecca is from Winchester, childhood hometown of pretty-faced Alexa Chung and Britain's-Got-Talent-faced Amanda Holden.

REBECCA HATES THE INTERNET. SHE'S SET UP A SMALLISH CULT WITH ONE AIM TO SET FIRE TO ALL OF THE INTERNETS IN THE WORLD, AND FREQUENTLY TELLS HER COMPUTER THAT IT'S "REALLY STUPID".

FALSE: Rebecca has a fucking kick-ass Tumblr that you can find at *rebeccabone.tumblr.com*. Last time we looked, there were lots of pictures of sharks, our very own Lauren Fernandez and a few dogs in hats. Excellent.

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TRUE OR FALSE

IF YOU'RE A CLEVER, SMART AND BRILLIANT PERSON, YOU WILL HAVE SEEN REBECCA MODELLING HONOUR OVER GLORY IN THEIR ADVERT A FEW ISSUES BACK.

TRUE: "I wear that baseball tee to sleep in now," she says. What we wear in bed definitely wouldn't be suitable to put in a magazine, unless it's a magazine that's designed to make you do really massive sicks over it.

REBECCA HAS NEVER, EVER, EVER BEEN IN TROUBLE WITH THE POLICE. HOWEVER, SHE WAS ONCE ASKED TO LEAVE A STRIP CLUB.

TRUE: "I'm actually a pretty good girl. I don't think I've ever had a run in with the law," she says. The strip club story is far, farrrr too cool for us to print in this here magazine, so you'll just have to use your imaginations. Go.

Suspender Tights, *myagbiz.com*. Ring, *silversmicejewellery.co.uk*

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TRUE OR FALSE

OF ALL THE WEAPONS IN THE WORLD OF SHOOT-EM-UPS, REBECCA WOULD DEFEND HERSELF WITH A BOW AND ARROW.

TRUE: "Legolas in Lord Of The Rings can bring down a giant elephant with his bow and arrow, so that says something," she says. We didn't have the heart to tell her that wasn't real fucking life.

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TRUE OR FALSE

REBECCA'S FAVOURITE HAT IS MADE FROM A PLANT POT FILLED WITH KITTENS.

FALSE: Clearly not, you prat. Rebecca has a rad green New Era LA Dodgers dog-ear cap that she loves. That's the one with the flappy bits for your ears that suits nobody apart from really pretty girls.

WHEN SHE'S NOT LOOKING ALL PRETTY IN FRONT AND HONOUR OVER GLORY ADS, REBECCA LIKES TO SURF ON THE NORTH COAST OF CORNWALL.

TRUE: For two whole years, Rebecca lived in Falmouth, a nice town down in pasty land. "I love surfing," she says. "I know nothing when it comes to skating, though."

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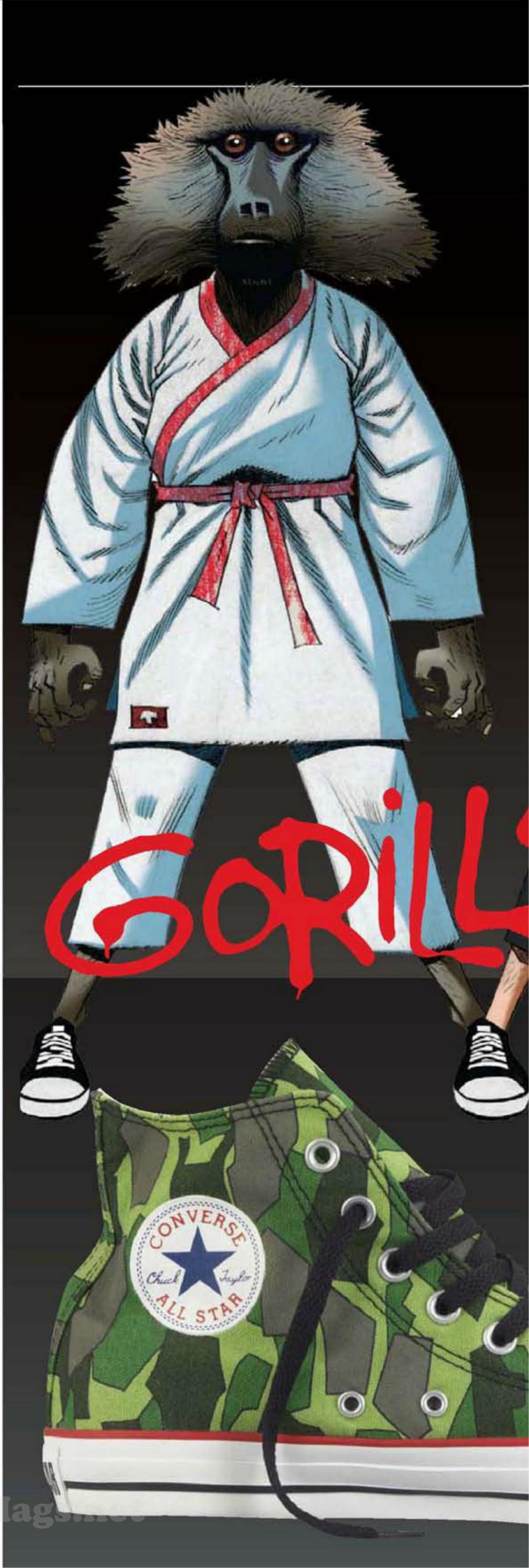
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ODD FUTURE

TELLY, A NEW MIXTAPE AND A UK TOUR: THESE FUCKERS ARE BUSY

THE NEXT FEW months are going to be busy as shit for everyone's favourite foul-mouthed Los Angeles hipster rap collective OFWGKTA. Their Jackass-esque Adult Swim show Loiter Squad will be hitting U.S screens, with Jackass head honcho Jeff Tremaine at the helm. Then there's the release of their new mixtape, Odd Future Volume 2 (above), which will make their pal Lucas as famous as the smoking dude off the Arctic Monkeys album. Bestest, though, they're heading over here. They start their UK tour in Birmingham on 28 March, heading on to London, Manchester, Glasgow and Dublin. It's a busy schedule. They should call themselves Busy Future. Yes?



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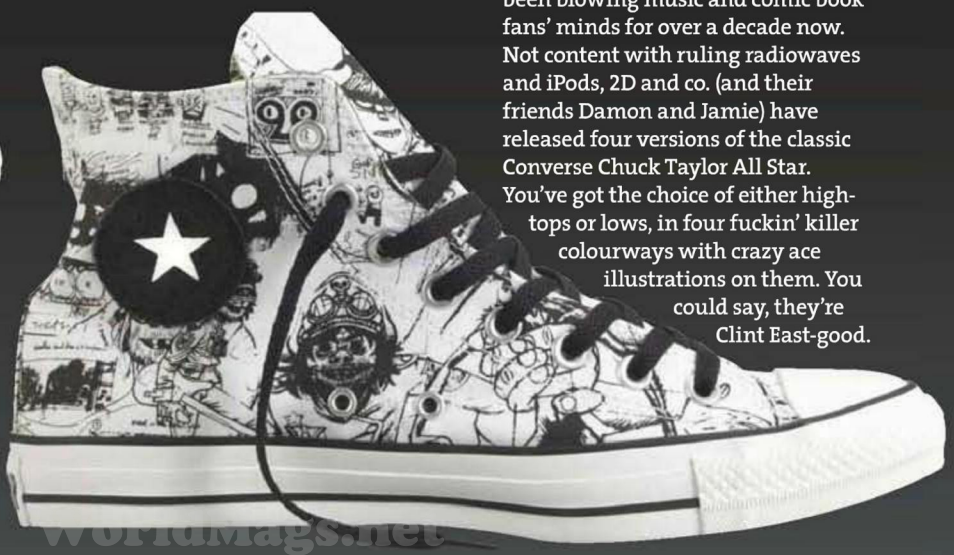
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gz × CONVERSE

CARTOONS AND FEET HAVEN'T LOOKED THIS GOOD TOGETHER SINCE THE INVENTION OF BART SIMPSON SLIPPERS...







WHO DOESN'T have a soft spot for Gorillaz? The virtual band has been blowing music and comic book fans' minds for over a decade now. Not content with ruling radiowaves and iPods, 2D and co. (and their friends Damon and Jamie) have released four versions of the classic Converse Chuck Taylor All Star. You've got the choice of either high-tops or lows, in four fuckin' killer colourways with crazy ace illustrations on them. You could say, they're Clint East-good.

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NO. 3

TELLY

PUNK'D IS BACK AND KUTCHER-LESS

MTV'S CELEB-TAUNTING SHOW IS BACK WITH A GALLERY OF A-LISTERS. BUT WHO'LL BE PRANKING WHO?



THE PRANKSTER: Dave Grohl
THE VICTIM: Courtney Love
Dressed in an uncanny zombie Kurt Cobain disguise, Grohl taps at Love's bathroom window, causing her to defecate a turd as big as Texas. How will she get that down the plughole? How? HOW?



THE PRANKSTER: David Guetta
THE VICTIM: Chris Brown
Blacked up and impersonating a certain raunchy Barbadian R'n'B singer, Guetta goads Chris into battering him with a brick, amputating his legs and running him over with his SUV! Ay ay ay!



THE PRANKSTER: Skrillex
THE VICTIM: Michael McIntyre
Noisesome dubstepper Skrillex welds Michael's front door shut and blasts his home with industrial-strength rave choonz for a fortnight – causing him to go deaf and totes mentally ill!



THE PRANKSTER: Alex Ferguson
THE VICTIM: Christine Bleakley
The famously impish Ferguson is up to his usual mischief, firing a jet of scalding-hot, post-pub piss through Christine's letterbox as she sleeps. Boy oh boy, is her carpet gonna stink in the morning!



THE PRANKSTER: Miley Cyrus
THE VICTIM: Billy-Ray Cyrus
The teen pop sensation informs her Achy Breaky dad that she's about to release a disgusting scat-eating sex tape onto the internet. Is Billy happy about it? You can bet Billy is not happy about it!



THE PRANKSTER: Nicolas Cage
THE VICTIM: Barack Obama
Cage makes a late-night call to the White House, claiming to be President Obama – causing the real Obama to become confused: "Wait one fucking sec – I thought I was President Obama? WTFuck?"



THE PRANKSTER: The Rock
THE VICTIM: Macaulay Culkin
Whilst Culkin is 'home alone', The Rock drunkenly breaks into his LA mansion and smashes all his possessions before kissing him roughly on the nipples then collapsing into a sobbing heap. Ha!



THE PRANKSTER: Bill Gates
THE VICTIM: Matt Smith
The Dr. Who star is taken on a romantic date by the ex-CEO of Microsoft, who spends the entire evening begging Smith to time-travel him back to 1977, so that he can "quietly murder Steve Jobs".



THE PRANKSTER: Johnny Knoxville
THE VICTIM: Johnny Knoxville
In his most extreme prank yet, Knoxville kicks himself to death while he sleeps. Surprised to wake up dead, he takes the joke well, before retaliating by kicking himself to death again!

NO. 4

FESTS

KICK WINTER IN THE (SNOW) BALLS

WITH THREE KILLER FESTIVALS IN THE SNOW ALL HAPPENING AT ALMOST THE SAME TIME, WHICH ONE'LL BE LUCKY ENOUGH TO HAVE YOU THERE?



WHEN: 17-24 March
WHERE: Mayrhofen, Austria
COST: From €325
CHECK OUT: *wangltangl.com*
Turning ten this year, the Vans-backed, oddly-named Wangl Tangl is celebrating with a very cool art exhibition, extreme sports culture-faces Standing Sideways and a killer skate competition on top of their usual awesome snowboard battles. There's so much happening here, they've dubbed themselves a contest-ival. A contest, with a festival, like, together.
BEST FOR: Awesome art-appreciating shred-heads.

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We're slowly moving to that time of year where Ski Mum and Ski Dad have had their fair share of the pistes, and need to make way for festival shred heads to have their turn. However, which of these three rad events is gonna suit you best? Take our NASA-endorsed* quiz to find out where you're headed!

*Note: NASA didn't really endorse this. They get no credit for any of this world-beating cleverness.

WIN SOME SNOW THREADS

Head over to *frontarmy.com* this month for your chance to win yourself everything you need to keep your tits and balls warm out in the snow, courtesy of the rad people at Protest.

START Are you there to see some shredding, to party or a bit of both?

Shred

Both

Party

Can you ride good on a hangover?

Yes

No

Are you a silly lightweight?

Party

No

Hate 'em!

How does a bit of skate action sound?

Hmm, not so good

Do you get really lost when drunk?

Yes

No

Seriously? We've heard stories

No

Will you get pissed on the plane and get arrested?

Dressing up: yes or no?

Yes

Seriously.

Yeah, probably will

Yes

Punk-rock '77 all the way!

Er, only like a cunting neon raver

Do you wanna see Snoop Dogg?

Go back to the start, you idiot!

Yep

Does a massive two-day roadtrip with loads of snow-hungry revellers sound rad or a ballache?

Nope

Yes!

Well you can't. He pulled out. How does Chase & Status, Knife Party and Labrinth sound?

Crap!

Ache in the balls

Rad

Ace!

BRITS

WHEN: 18-25 March
WHERE: Laax, Switzerland
COST: From £255
CHECK OUT: *the-brits.com*

With the crème de la crème of UK snow sports battling it out for the honours at the British Championships, expect to party with the riders as they wind down from big air, halfpipe and slopestyle contests. There's a reggae BBQ and all, meaning you've essentially got all the best things in the world up one mountain at the same time. Hell yes.

BEST FOR: Super laid-back patriotic powder hounds.

SNOWBOMBING

WHEN: 9-14 April
WHERE: Mayrhofen, Austria
COST: From £289
CHECK OUT: *snowbombing.com*

Even with the shitty news that Snoop Dogg was dropping out of their lineup, the week-long Snowbombing will still rock balls harder than a rail bail. In Tha Doggfather's place is Dizzee Rascal, flanked by Chase & Status, Skream and Fake Blood. All that, up a mountain, with loads of party-smashing revellers. It's easy to see why it won Best Overseas Festival a few years back.

BEST FOR: Drum'n'bass loving neon nutbars.

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EAR CANDY

NO. 5

TONIGHT ALIVE

MEET THE PRETTY FACE OF POP-PUNK WHO'LL NEED TO GET USED TO THE ICY GRASP OF THE UK...

MUSIC MATHS  CARTEL -  MAN +  A VERY SMILEY LADY = TONIGHT ALIVE ■ *tonightaliveofficial.com*



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PHOTOGRAPHY: ALEX DE MORA

"WE'RE FREEZING our butts off," comes an Aussie accent from beneath a thick beanie and popped coat collar, right before we almost set a whole band from the other side of the world a little bit on fire.

This month's flash-fried five-piece is Tonight Alive, the new flag bearers of lady-fronted pop-punk who've already chummed up with FRONT faves Young Guns, The Wonder Years and our new best mate Mark Hoppus, from over on page 38.

"When Mark walked into our studio to do guest vocals on one of our tracks, I lost my cool so badly," says frontlady Jenna. "Our producer Mark Trombino sorted that out. He produced Dude Ranch, which is my favourite Blink-182 album, which was recorded before I was even in primary school."



Q&A JENNA McDOUGALL

TONIGHT ALIVE: WHO ARE YOU?
We're from Sydney and formed in 2008 the day before my 16th birthday. The boys were looking for a new singer and I joined up. A year later we got management and a year after that got label attention from Sony at a shitty community hall gig, and here we are.

DOES YOUR HEART SINK EVERY TIME YOU READ A PARAMORE COMPARISON?
Yeah, when I started I didn't know how to handle it, but the more I heard it, the less it bothered me. We never set out to be like anyone else. It's not offensive, but if that's the worst thing people can say about us then we're doing alright.

YOU'VE GOT A MINI EP DROPPING IN MARCH, AND A FULL-LENGTH IN THE SUMMER. WHAT CAN WE EXPECT?
The album has something for everyone. It wraps up a whole year of growing up and we're really proud of it. It's fun, it's aggressive, it's angry, it has everything.

WASTED

NO. 6 BOOZE FOR BOYOS

CELEBRATE ST. DAVID'S DAY IN STYLE WITH WELSH DRINKS. GARNISH WITH DAFFODILS



WINNER

BRECON GIN

CLASSINESS: This shit's in an elegant bottle with a monochrome label and a cork stopper. It looks like you'd have it in a bar with a load of wanky footballers, before being spitroasted.
FUN FACT: One of the ingredients in this is Madagascan cinnamon bark. The average Madagascan fertility rate is five kids per woman – they're sex mad!
RATING: A swanky gin best saved for fancy occasions. Also, really fucking hard to open! 4/5



PENDERYN WELSH WHISKEY

CLASSINESS: A Welsh whisky? We're very intrigued...
FUN FACT: Penderyn is the only Welsh whisky currently produced, and its distillery is a popular tourist attraction in South Wales. Another awesome tourist attrcation in Wales is a big pit called Big Pit.
RATING: It blows your head off, in a sweet smells-like-apples-and-biscuits kind of way. 1/5



BRAINS SA BEER

CLASSINESS: A hoppy, light and smooth bitter.
FUN FACT: Brains SA used to be called Skull Attack, which is fun to shout while slapping someone on the head.
RATING: Brains SA smells a bit like weed when you take the lid off, but when you go in for a deeper sniff, it smells of toast, and then, to top it off, it tastes a bit like when you drop a fag-end in a beer and then accidentally drink it. Fucks you up, yo! 3/5



WERNDDU WELSH CIDER

CLASSINESS: Reminds us of the joke, "Have you seen my wormdo?". "What's a wormdo?". "Just wriggles about".
FUN FACT: "Hyn seidr arogleuon ddoniol" is just about the best translation we could find for "this cider smells kinda funny" in the beautiful language of Welsh.
RATING: This tastes more like a single ingredient than a finished drink. It's like if you got an apple really pissed. 2/5

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WATCH THIS FACE

NO. 7

GHETTS

THE SKET-SOUNDTRACKER WHO CAN'T STOP GIVING STUFF AWAY



WHO HE?

NAME: Ghetts
AGE: 25
FROM: East London
JOB: Grime MC
CHECK OUT: ghetts.com

HOW DID YOU GET INVOLVED WITH SKET? Goldielocks, who worked on the music side of the film, said they'd really love to have me on the soundtrack and in the movie itself, playing myself. I said I'd be obliged to. It's definitely got me some new fans.

WHAT'S THIS COMPETITION TO FIND THE NEXT BIG RAP STAR? It's another channel of the film. We're gonna get artists to submit their tracks to us, and the best one will spend the day in a studio with me, making a track. I reckon it's good to do things like that, it needs to happen more. It's a good idea and I was happy to take part.

WHAT'S THE COOLEST THING YOU'VE DONE RECENTLY? I got to do the whole red carpet thing as part of Sket, that was pretty exciting. People were going crazy, it was definitely a good look.

FOR THE PAST TWO YEARS YOU'VE RELEASED FREE TRACKS ON CHRISTMAS DAY. HOW COME? Christmas is obviously a time for giving, and in 2010 I thought, "Wouldn't it be cool if I gave my fans a free CD?". This Christmas, I released another album called Momentum. It's becoming a bit of a tradition. Now every Christmas I think they expect a CD – I dunno if I can keep it up.

HAVE ANY FANS SAID THANKS? Yeah all the time, they love it. Let's hope they pay for my album now.

HOW DID YOU FIRST GET INTO GRIME? I'm from the area that it generated from, so it's been around me since I was 18. I always wanted to get into it, it's a beautiful scene.

WHO'S INFLUENCED YOU ALONG THE WAY? When I was young I loved Pay As U Go, Heartless Crew, So Solid. It was just how they made their music. Today is a new day and we've got our own thing, but they let us know that we could be where we're from and still make it happen.

YOU INTO ANYTHING ELSE APART FROM GRIME? I love all genres, I'm very open-minded. Grime was only invented less than ten years ago, and I'm in my 20s, so before that I was into rap, R'n'B, soul, jazz...

YOU GOT BIG PLANS THIS YEAR? I'm gonna release Paint The Town Red in March, then I've got my album coming, called Rebel With A Cause. Should be fantastic.

Sket is out on DVD now.

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TV

KEVIN SMITH HITS THE SMALL SCREEN

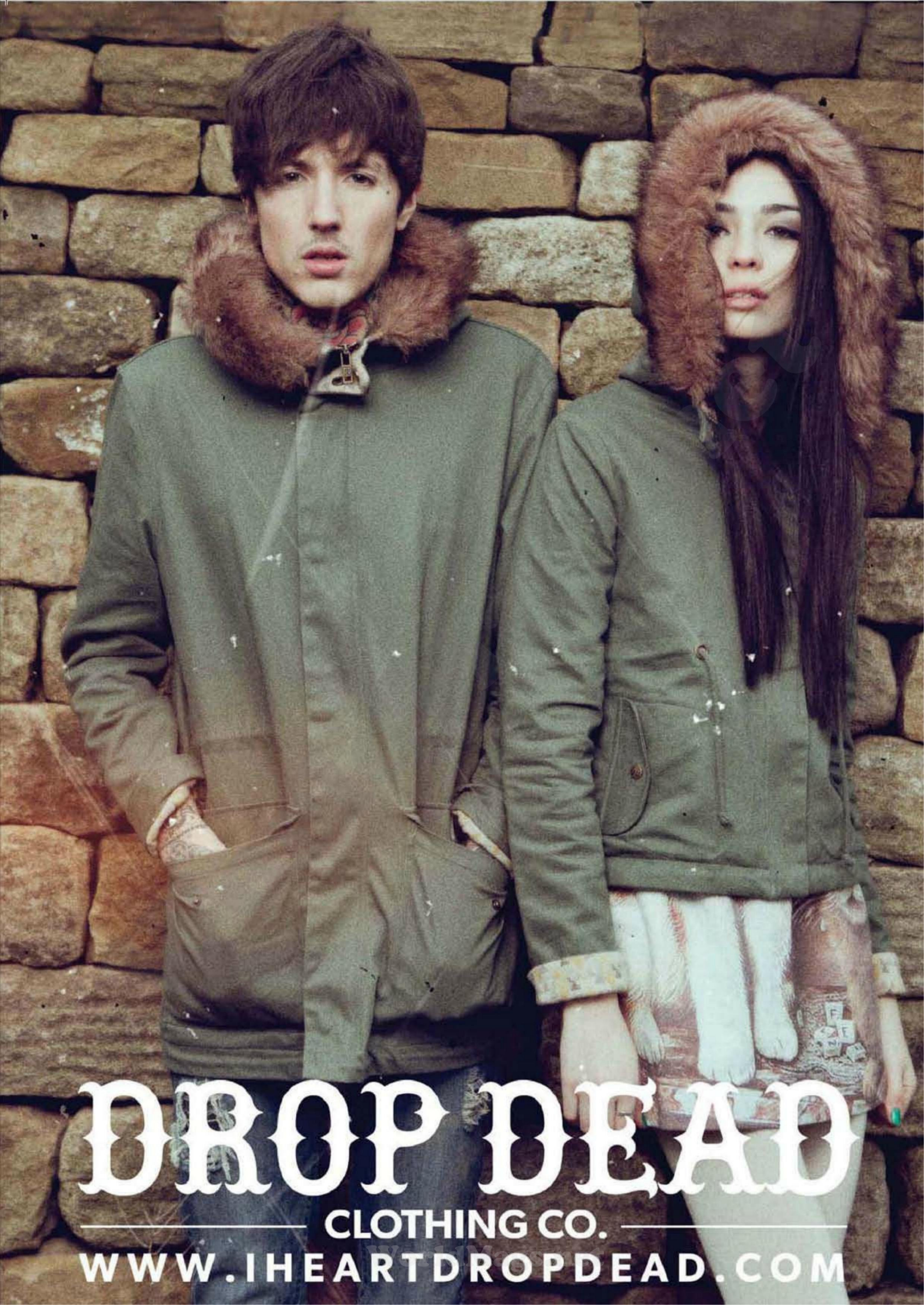
SILENT BOB'S TELLY ADVENTURES

"I'M COMING up on 20 years into my career, and the older you get, the less cool you are. So it's nice to be able to say, 'Oh, hey, did I mention I have an AMC show?'" – Kevin Smith.

Not content with being a writer, director, airline-upsetter, hockey shirt champion and relentless podcaster, Kevin Smith's moved into reality telly with his new show Comic Book Men, filmed in his nerd-filled Jay And Silent Bob's Secret Stash store in New Joisey. The dudes at AMC (of The Walking Dead fame) have signed Kevin and his posse for an initial six-episode run, but the dude's never given up anything – it'll run forever. Snoogans.



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OUT AND ABOUT

RIDIN' DIRTY

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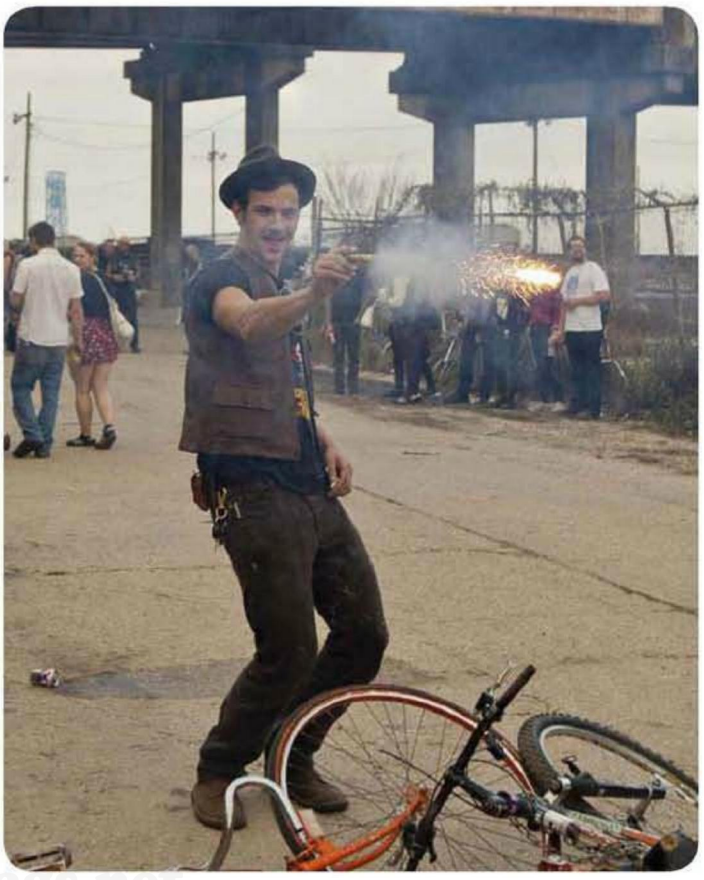
WHAT? Ridin' Dirty, presented by the Black Label Bicycle Club.

WHERE? New Orleans, Louisiana, the American U.S of America.

BEST BIT: A shit-ton of fireworks and an ever-growing assortment of crazy art bikes.

WORST BIT: The cops and fire department kept showing up and made people stop burning stuff (apparently it's "dangerous").

THE LOOK: Crusty denim studded vests, facial tattoos, and southern drawl.



IS THERE A sweeter three-word phrase in the English language than "firework bike jousting"? Maybe "unlimited free chicken", "voluntary blowjob technician" or "behold, my tits", but it's definitely a close call.

Over in the faded beauty of New Orleans, home of the blues, voodoo, jazz, Bad Lieutenant II and Treme, the Black Label Bicycle Club recently held their fifth annual Ridin' Dirty event, a kind of Mad Max/heavy drinking/Sons Of Anarchy/fireworks/wasteland/leather/injury mashup party. We need shit like that over here. Fewer Winslow's Biggest Cabbage competitions, and more shit like this.

Begun in 1992, the Black Label Bicycle Club peddles this stuff (yeah?) all over America, and based on this particular event, it's the future. The day started out with a burning Christmas tree bike jump (what else?), followed by a joust between arch-rivals Skidmarxxx and the Bad News Bike Club which involved a spectacular flying-tackle-from-tall-bike tactic yet still resulted in a draw. Oh yes, that happened. There were visits from the authorities, but an impressive lack of fights and/or emergency room visits – a first, apparently. According to regular attendees, there are usually a lot of hospital visits because of the ☞

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sheer amount of ways to hurt yourself this sport (and fuck you, it's a sport) provides. There's crashing, blowing yourself up, being crashed into and blown up by other people, drinking too much (oh sweet Lord, the people drink a lot at these things), crashing again... How the fuck did nobody die?

Is it too late to get this inserted into the Olympics? That fucker's full of things nobody's going to watch. A million quid says more people would watch firework bike jousting than that fucking triple jump shit. **FRONT**





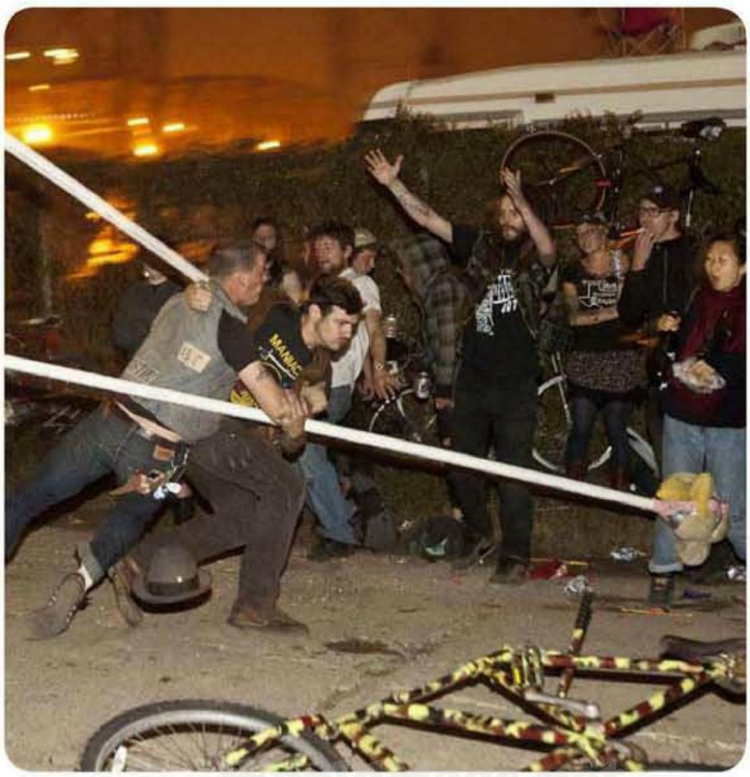














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14-25 March



FESTIVAL

NEUROTIC DEATHFEST

Fancy bearing witness to over 20 skull-crushing acts including Cannibal Corpse, Behemoth, Napalm Death and Gorguts? You'd better get yoursef over to Tilburg in the bloody Netherlands, then, hadn't you. No biggie. Head over to *neuroticdeathfest.com* for tickets and further info.
2-4 March

METAL

CHIMAIRA TOUR

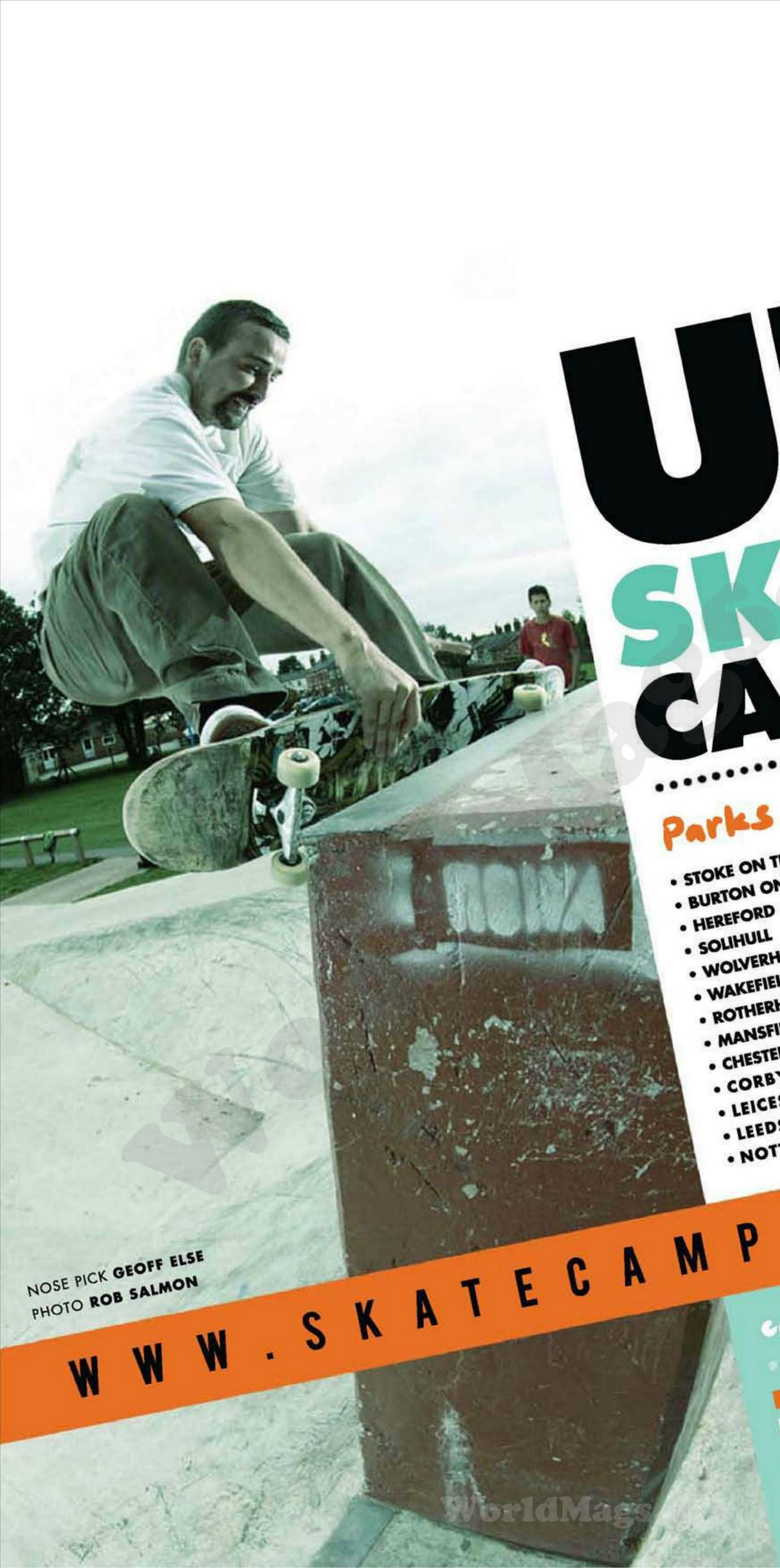
The Ohio-born metal men are doing a massoff world tour, including 18 dates in the UK. Check out *chimaira.com* for more infortmation.
8-27 March



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20 QUESTIONS

LIGHTS

HOW WILL THE METAL WORLD'S FAVOURITE ELECTRO BEAUTY HANDLE THE QUESTIONS WE PUT TO EVERYONE?

1 AS A KID, WHAT WAS YOUR FAVOURITE FILM?
Milo And Otis, about a dog and a cat. They talk but their mouths don't move. If I watched it now I'd probably loathe it.

2 WHAT'S THE WORST THING YOU'VE EVER EATEN?
Fish eyeball soup, with chunks of eyeball just floating in it. There were also fins in there.

3 WHERE'S THE SHITTEST PLACE YOU'VE EVER BEEN?
East Hastings in Vancouver is where all the crackheads amass from across the country. Everyone locks their doors when they drive through. It's like The Walking Dead.

4 IF YOU COULD HAVE A SUPER POWER, WHAT WOULD IT BE?
Teleportation. It would make touring a lot easier.

5 WHAT FOR YOU MAKES AN AWESOME NIGHT OUT PROPERLY AWESOME?
A couple of good friends, some really sturdy wine and a pile of videogames. And probably some cheese.

6 WHAT IS THE FIRST ALBUM YOU EVER BOUGHT?
It was by Raze, this techno '90s pop band. It was ten bucks and really affordable for me at the time.

7 WHAT WILL YOUR FUNERAL BE LIKE?
They'll sprinkle my ashes into orbit which'll be pretty neat. I couldn't get everyone up there in a rocket ship though – maybe they could livestream my funeral to my mourners on Earth.

8 DO YOU HAVE A SECRET SKILL/ PARTY TRICK?
I can do a Rubik's Cube in two and a half minutes. I learnt on YouTube.

9 HAVE YOU GOT ANY PHOBIAS?
In planes when they shake I always think of that movie Alive with the football team that ate each other.

10 IF YOU WEREN'T DOING THIS FOR A LIVING, WHAT WOULD YOU BE DOING?
I'd be doing game development. Even now, I'm taking computer science classes hoping to scratch the surface of game design.

11 WHAT SOCIAL NETWORKING SHIT DO YOU LIKE?
Mainly Twitter and YouTube. They're great ways to show what you're all about. If people spend three minutes watching one of your videos, that's three minutes of their time that they've spent on you and that's an investment.

12 WHAT'S THE MOST YOU'VE EVER NEEDED THE TOILET?
Every day before a show. You're on stage for an hour and a half and if you don't pee before you go on it's very uncomfortable.

13 WHAT HAVE YOU SEEN THAT YOU REALLY WISH YOU COULD UN-SEE?
I grew up in the Philippines and a lot of stuff goes overlooked there that wouldn't go overlooked here. You'd see a dead person on the side of the road and spiders the size of dinner plates squished like roadkill.

14 WHAT'S YOUR ALCOHOLIC DRINK OF CHOICE?
Vodka with sparkling water, that's really refreshing.

15 WHY SHOULD PEOPLE GO SEE YOU LIVE?
I love what I do and I try to make music that's exciting. The show has really high energy.

16 WHAT'S THE MOST ILLEGAL THING YOU'VE EVER DONE?
I brought my pet tarantula onto a flight from Vancouver to Toronto in a sandwich container. No one noticed.

17 WHAT'S THE WORST IDEA YOU'VE EVER HAD?
Painting my apartment black. If I ever decide to move out it'll be a nightmare to paint over it.

18 TELL US ONE AMAZING THING THAT WE WOULDN'T KNOW ABOUT YOU.
I climbed the steps in the Toronto CN Tower in 15 minutes for a fundraiser. I didn't quite beat this 11-year-old kid.

19 WHAT'S THE PUNCHLINE TO YOUR FAVOURITE JOKE?
"And then I pushed her in!"

20 IF WE GAVE YOU A MILLION QUID AND YOU HAD 24 HOURS TO RINSE IT, HOW WOULD YOU DO SO?
I'd get a huge candy buffet, invite all my friends over, drink White Zinfandel and play Kinect.



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Worksheet

WHERE AM THEM?

STUBBLE TROUBLE

MICKEY MOUSE HAS EMBRACED THE BEARD, BUT CAN YOU SPOT THE BEARDY WEIRDIES?

WE NEVER KNEW this, but until this month, it's been forbidden for employees of Disney to have beards. You've been allowed a moustache for a while, but only tidy ones, and they have to go right to the edge of your lips (no Hitler 'taches). They've finally relaxed the beard thing though – as of this month, employees of the House Of Mouse can grow a quarter-inch beard.

To celebrate, we've hidden some bearded bad-asses in this picture of all of Disney World's staff from back when it opened in 1971. If you can spot them, you win the frozen, disembodied head of Walt Disney himself and a convenient minifridge to store it in. Just circle the bearded buggers, hand the magazine to the nearest six-foot trouserless duck and await your prize.

FIND THESE BEARDY WEIRDIES!


ZACH GALIFIANAKIS


TOM HANKS


BRENT HINDS


ALAN RICKMAN



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F.Y.I

Animators are alleged to have sneaked sexual imagery into several Disney films, including what's said to be a dildo in The Little Mermaid, and an inarguable shot of a lady with her waps out in The Rescuers, of all things. There is a popular rumour that Walt Disney had himself frozen after his death, to be reanimated in the future and probably make some more cartoons or something. It's bullcakes apparently – the first human being wasn't frozen until over a month after Walt carked it. If they froze him, they froze him rotting and 'orrible.

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ANDREW W.K.

ALL ABOUT MONEY

IT'S TIME TO THINK ABOUT JUST HOW POWERFUL MONEY IS, AND HOW WE CAN USE IT FOR GOOD, FOR FUN, AND FOR PARTYING...

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WIN!

Win tickets to see our friend Andrew W.K., the wisest man in the world, at his London show on 12 April. Just e-mail *competitions@frontarmy.co.uk* with the subject line 'Party Hard' and a sentence describing what your favourite food is.

MONEY ISN'T BAD

I used to think money was bad. I'm not sure why. Maybe it was from old sayings like, "Money is the root of all evil". I also have a lot of friends who live their lives without making much money, and they seem to think making money isn't cool. But, one very wise person explained to me that money is just like "magic paper", and this magic paper allows you to do amazing things. Money itself isn't bad or good – it just depends on what you do with it. When you have money to spend on friends, family, and fun, it becomes one of the greatest and most powerful things in the world. It's true that the best parts of life don't require money, but that doesn't mean money can't improve life – it can. And you don't have to be greedy or a scumbag to feel good about it.

SPENDING IS IMPORTANT

I'm not an expert on economics, but even I understand that money has no value or ability to do good if it isn't spent. Of course, it's wise to save money for a rainy day or for a house or baby. But in a modern society, we rely on each other spending in order to spread the wealth around. If you're concerned about poor people, it can seem like a meaningful show of solidarity to be poor yourself. But if the poor people had more money, they wouldn't turn it away. And you being poor doesn't help a poor person either. Whenever the media talks about a financial crisis, they make it even worse because the anxiety their reports inspire causes people to save money rather than spend it. And so all the money is just sitting there, not doing anyone any good. The only thing that money is meant for is spending. ESPECIALLY when you spend it on partying.

PARTY MONEY

In my opinion, spending money on fun is the wisest use of money. There are times when it's necessary to spend it on food and shelter – but those are the obvious basics of survival. Once we have the basics, there's no better way to spend money than on joy. Some people have tried to make me feel guilty about spending money "frivolously". But the beauty of money is that it is up to YOU how to spend it. And there should never be any feelings of regret or sadness when you use your money to access happiness. Money spent on feeling good is totally righteous. Money spent on getting wasted is NEVER wasted money.

"MONEY SPENT ON GETTING WASTED IS NEVER WASTED MONEY"

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3 THREE OF MY FAVOURITE SMELLS

BURNT CHEESE



A little cheesy toast with slightly burnt edges is the smell (and taste) of heaven.

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"I DON'T EVER SEE MYSELF NOT finding a FART FUNNY"

MARK HOPPUS

HE'S ABOUT TO TURN 40, HE'S LIVING IN THE UK AND HE'S SOLD OUT A BIO-DOME. FRONT SITS DOWN WITH THE NICE ONE OUT OF BLINK-182...

PHOTOGRAPHY: ALEX DE MORA

HI MARK! YOU'RE THE ONLY HOPPUS WE'VE EVER ENCOUNTERED.
It's Swiss and German. My dad traced our lineage all the way back – it turns out Hoppus is a unit used for measuring quantities of dried wood.

AWESOME. HOW'S SHIT RIGHT NOW?
Good. I love the reaction we've had to the new record, and the turnout we've had for the shows in the States. We had to postpone our last tour here till the summer cos we hadn't finished the record, and after the initial shock wore off and people realised where we were coming from, there weren't many returns and we actually ended up adding more shows. We just sold out the Eden Project in two hours.

WHEN YOU POSTPONED IT, WERE PEOPLE PISSED?
Oh, they were, rightfully so. It was a giant bumout for us too. It was one of the most difficult and expensive decisions we've made as a band, but it was the right call. We don't want to be one of those bands that goes, "Hey, remember that cool shit we did ten years ago? Well, here it is again!". We'd either have had to do the tour only playing old songs or put out an album that was kind of shitty. We made a difficult decision, but this'll be great.

EXPENSIVE, YOU SAY?
Oh, it cost us a lot of money. There were deposits down, crew booked, staff booked. It was a very expensive decision.

DO YOU KEEP ON TOP OF FEEDBACK FROM PEOPLE? IS IT HARD?
The hardest thing for me was that people don't understand how tours are booked. We announced the postponement of the European tour and then three weeks later announced the on-sale of the U.S tour. People – understandably but incorrectly – thought we'd postponed the tour here to do the States instead. People were like, "You just think you'll make more money there". That wasn't the case – both tours were booked at once, and Europe was the first leg. Postponing it gave us time to finish the record. Now we're looking forward to playing.

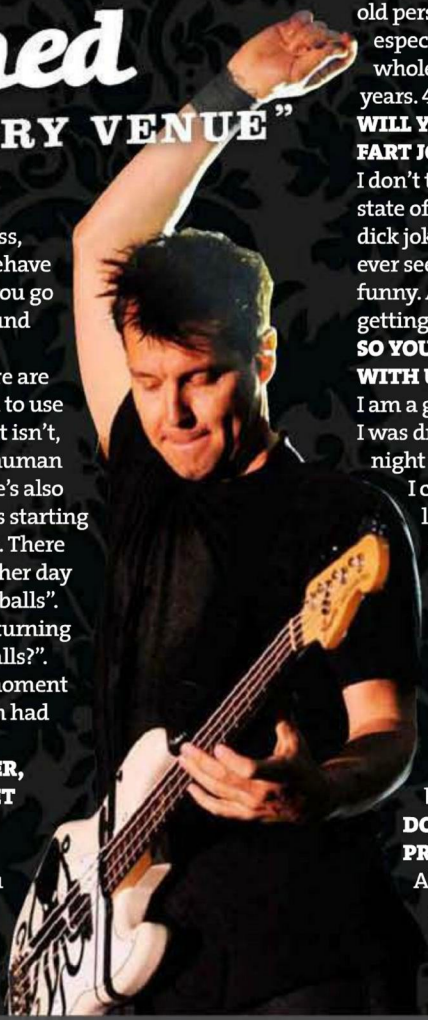
IT FEELS LIKE THERE ARE QUITE A FEW SONGS YOU NEVER PLAY LIVE, LIKE THE PARTY SONG.
We did it on our last tour. There were some people in the front chanting, "Party Song! Party Song!" – normally our set's really planned out cos of the scale of the production, so we rarely go off-track, but I wondered if I could play it, so started, then Tom and Travis joined in, and we got to the chorus and it fell the fuck apart. We played nearby the next night, and some kids had obviously heard cos they were chanting it as well, so we played it again and got it right.

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WE'RE IN LONDON TODAY – HEY MARK, WHY DO YOU LIVE HERE?
My wife and I wanted a different experience for ourselves and for our son. I like it here, the people are cool and I like the history. I grew up in Southern California which I love, but it's exactly the opposite of here. It's always sunny and you have to drive everywhere. The flat I live in here was built long before LA.

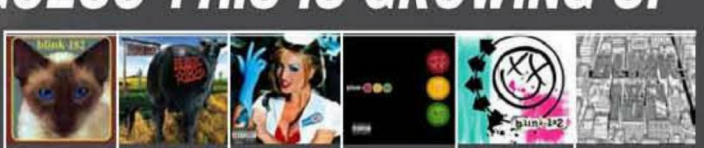
"WE USED TO DEMAND Lesbian-Themed PORNOS AT EVERY VENUE"

WHAT'S THE COOLEST THING YOU'VE LEARNED IN THE UK?
Page 3! I learned about that today, and it's fascinating to me. I want to learn a lot more about the world in general, and I'm very blessed that I have a job where I travel to different places and get to live where I want.
AFTER FIVE MONTHS, HAS THE NOVELTY WORN OFF?
Not at all. Even the bitter cold is a nice change. I get to wear my jackets and coats now – living in California, I've got loads of nice jackets that are just sitting in my house.
HOW DO PEOPLE IN THE STREET TREAT YOU OVER HERE?
It's strange, I get recognised more here than I do in Los Angeles. I think Blink has a special relationship with the UK. It's different than anywhere else in the world for sure.
DO YOU EVER GET WEIRD STUFF LIKE, "HEY! BILLIE-JOE!"?
People always go, "Tom! Tom!". Recently in New York I had a guy go "You're in Blink-182!". I said, "Yeah" and he said, "Which one are you?". "Uh, I'm Mark". "Oh. Which one is that?". I didn't know how to explain.
IS YOUR SON GOING TO GROW UP WITH A BRITISH ACCENT THEN?
I think he's old enough now that he's not going to pick up an accent. And over here you'll say you're going to the toilet – that sounds really rude to me. In America, you might as well be saying, "Where's the seat I sit on to take a shit?".
IS THERE ANYTHING YOU REFUSE TO LET ENTER YOUR VOCAB?
I refuse to say "pop in". My wife'll say it, like, "I'll just pop it in the oven", and I hate her for it.
THERE'S THE WHOLE 'FANNY' THING AS WELL...
That I learned the hard way. Yeah, if you ask for a fanny-pack here they look at you funny. Also, I like how you say "cunt" a lot over here. In America, if you throw that word around you'll get hit.
YOU'RE IN A SWEARY BAND. DO YOU HAVE TO BE UN-SWEARY AROUND YOUR KID?
My approach with him and swearwords is that he's going to say them, and I'm not gonna fool myself into thinking he won't. I explained it to him like this – in class, you pay attention and behave in a certain way. When you go outside you can run around and do somersaults. Bad words are like that – there are situations where it's cool to use them and others where it isn't, and the trick to being a human being is learning that. He's also just at the age where he's starting to understand dick jokes. There was a commercial the other day that said, "Collect all the balls". He started giggling and turning to me like, "Eh? Get it? Balls?". That was my proudest moment as a father. I felt the torch had been passed.
WHEN HE'S A TEENAGER, WILL HE HAVE TO UPSET YOU WITH HIS MUSIC CHOICES?
Probably. It's cyclical, you have to hate what your parents love. We were driving around in Los Angeles once and a Blink song came on. I said, "Check it out, Blink-182 on the radio!" and he said, "Yeah, that's cool, but you're not in my top three." He likes Metric, Vampire Weekend and Silversun Pickups. He's a bit of a little hipster.
YOU'RE TURNING 40 THIS YEAR. THAT'S REALLY OLD.
I was afraid of 30, and then it happened and I was like, "I'm the youngest adult in here, I am kicking everybody's ass". I guess turning 40, I get to be the world's youngest old person. It's unknown territory, especially for someone whose whole identity is about my college years. 40 is the great unknown.
WILL YOU HAVE TO STOP FINDING FART JOKES FUNNY?
I don't think so. Everything's about state of mind. I've been making dick jokes since I was a kid. I don't ever see myself not finding a fart funny. And everyone finds someone getting kicked in the nuts funny.
SO YOU'VE BEEN ENJOYING A GIN WITH US TODAY...
I am a gin enthusiast, yes. Originally I was drinking port wine, and one night we ran out of port and all I could find was some gin left over from a party or something, and I mixed it with Diet Coke because it was all I could find. I'm really into it now. On the last tour we also got really into Jägermeister. After the shows, after everything was packed up, me and the crew would destroy a frozen bottle of Jäger.
DO YOU HAVE ANY WEIRD PRE-SHOW RITUALS?
About an hour before we walk on stage I'll pour a drink, start stretching and start warming up my voice. Then



WELL, WE GUESS THIS IS GROWING UP

HAVE BLINK MATURED OVER THE YEARS? LET THE NUMBERS DO THE TALKING...



	(1994)	(1997)	(1999)	(2001)	(2003)	(2011)
USES OF "SHIT"	2			7		
USES OF "FUCK"	3	6	2	57	5	2
USES OF "MOM", "MOTHER", "DAD" OR "FATHER"	3	4	20	9	3	
REFERENCES TO SEX WITH ANIMALS		1		11		
REFERENCES TO MASTURBATING	1	3	1	15		

CONCLUSION: *YES THEY HAVE, WHICH SEEMS A SHAME*

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ten minutes before we go on stage I'll pour another drink and clean my teeth – I feel like the mintiness of the toothpaste opens up parts of my throat or something, it's all psychosomatic. I have a toothbrush and toothpaste in my rider

DO YOU REQUEST STUPID STUFF?

We used to demand lesbian-themed pornos at every venue. Just a tasteful undercurrent of lesbianism. As you go on, you realise that everything you put on your rider comes out of your pocket. If you're headlining a show, all the money goes into a pot, and you pay for the support, security, lights, sound, production, everything. All the food people eat backstage, all the stuff in your dressing room, it all comes out of that pot. You can put anything you want on your rider, you'll just be broke. It's like, go ahead, trash your hotel room, you're paying for it. Break everything in there, they'll charge you accordingly.

YOU'RE TOURING IN JUNE, BUT IS THERE ANYTHING ELSE YOU'D LIKE TO PLUG?

Just me as a person. I just want people to like me. I try really hard. FRONT

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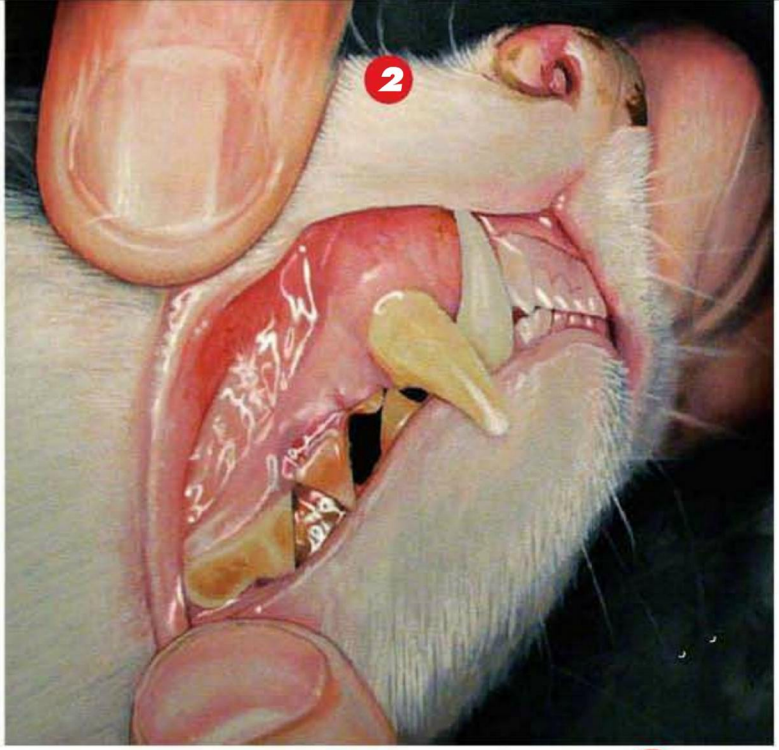
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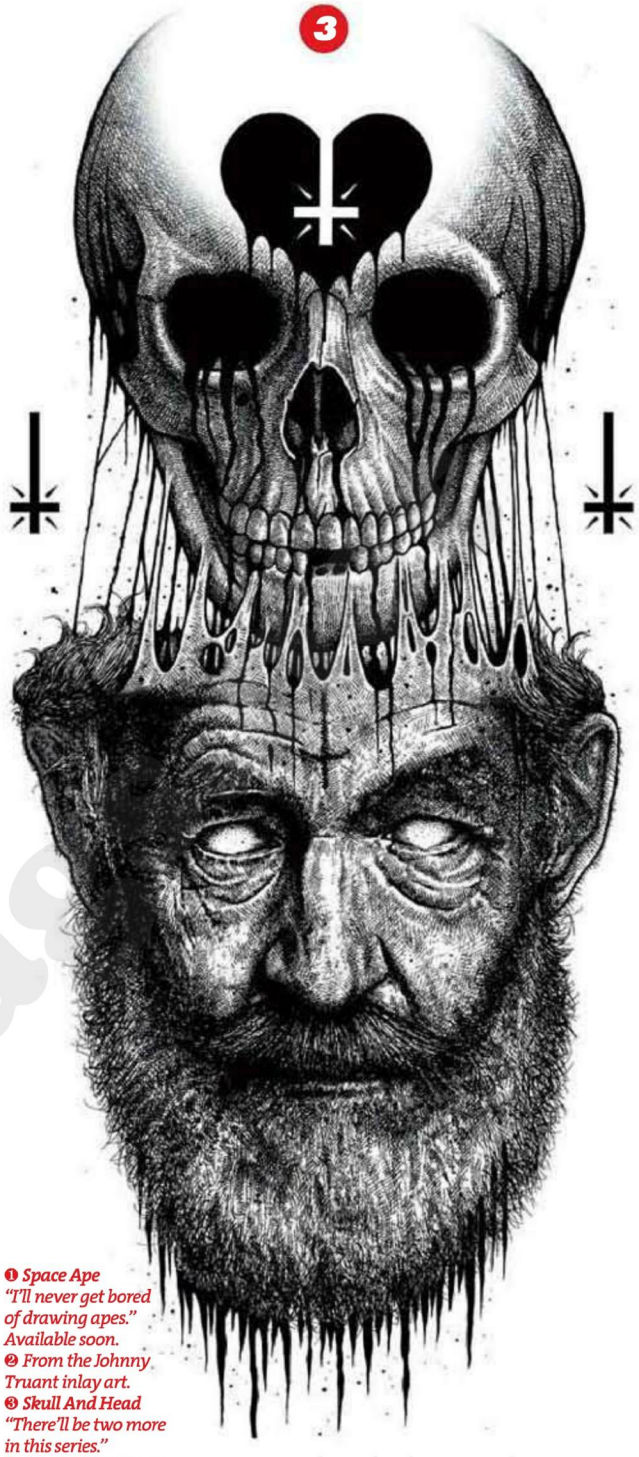
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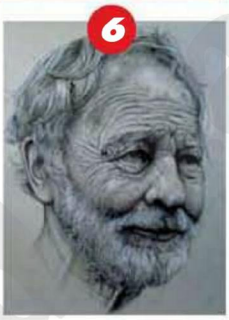
THE FORMER JOHNNY TRUANT DRUMMER, AKA TANK AXE LOVE, WHO SWAPPED HIS STICKS FOR A PENCIL WANTS YOU TO STAY TRUE...











HEY PAUL, TELL US ABOUT YOU.
Every day I wake up, have a coffee, stumble into my studio, put on a record, then get lost in drawing for a bit. My studio is like a library of books, magazines and art. I'd like to say most of my art is on the walls but it's mainly all over the floor. I collect things like animal skulls, pocket knives, weird jewellery and old photos, and I tread on at least one tube of oil paint a day.

TALK US THROUGH A TYPICAL JOB.
I have a sketchbook filled with ideas, mainly drawings to do with the human body: werewolves, old men's beards, space, forests, city lights, anything that's as far from reality as possible I'm obsessed with. If I'm going to take a piece from it I'll scan it in and stay as loyal to the layout as possible. But sometimes I just draw something I like, then build it up layer by layer in Photoshop. Once the focal point of the piece is scanned in, I clean it up on the computer and add whatever I think enhances it. I guess I don't really have a technique. A lot of the time I end up just painting a piece and photographing it – I like to do as little on the computer as possible. Though I do envy the guys that draw direct onto the computer, I just can't get my head around it. I need to feel the paper, and I have really strong arms from sharpening pencils, it's pretty much the only exercise I get! Oh, and grating cheese.

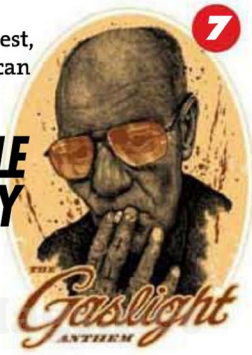
WHAT'S BETTER, PLAYING DRUMS OR BEING ARTY?
Both are pretty similar to be honest, but when you are in a band you can blame everyone else if stuff goes wrong. Working freelance, I only have myself to blame.

ANY ARTISTS YOU LOOK UP TO?
Well right now, for me, Aaron Horkey is killing it. His perfection in drawing makes me wanna puke, it's so good. If I met him, I'm not sure if I'd shake his hand or punch him in the face.

ANY WORDS OF WISDOM FOR ASPIRING ARTISTS?
Just keep doing what you love doing. Hard work will pay off eventually, you just gotta be true to yourself – as cheesy as that sounds, you can't go too far wrong. Also, keep an open mind and trust your gut instinct – some people think they're art critics or something, when they can barely tell a turd from a piss.

"TRUST YOUR INSTINCTS – SOME PEOPLE THINK THEY'RE ART CRITICS, WHEN THEY CAN'T TELL A TURD FROM A PISS"

❶ Space Ape "I'll never get bored of drawing apes." Available soon.
❷ From the Johnny Truant inlay art.
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❼ Gaslight Anthem Smoking Man





LUCKY CHARMS

OUR TASTER SAYS:
"So it's oats, marshmallow stars and leprechaun hats. Oh, and spoon-melting quantities of sugar – what's not to like?"

AN INSOMNIAC SAYS:
"I once went through all of Lent without nodding off a single time. I celebrated Easter by being admitted into a lunatic asylum."

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F.Y.I

In 1877, John Kellogg accidentally invented wheat flakes after leaving a batch of boiled wheat soaking overnight. His brother Will later nicked the idea to create corn flakes. Whadda dick.

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KILLER CEREALS

WHICH'LL BRIGHTEN YOUR MORNING ENOUGH TO PUT A SPRING IN YOUR STEP, AND WHICH'LL HAVE YOU SOBBING INTO YOUR SPOON?

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RICICLES

OUR TASTER SAYS: "Tasteless rubbish. You don't even have the thrill of the milk changing colour."

AN INSOMNIAC SAYS: "For quite a long time I was convinced there was a ghost in the corner of my room staring at me. I attacked it and it turned out to actually be a goat."

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REESE'S PUFFS

OUR TASTER SAYS: "Fuck right off if you think peanut butter belongs in a breakfast bowl. I am not Elvis."

AN INSOMNIAC SAYS: "I once went so long without sleep, I thought I was Elvis. I couldn't stop shouting, 'Stop fucking my daughter, Nicolas Cage!'"

★★★★★



ALL-BRAN

OUR TASTER SAYS: "Basic twig-based nutrition. Acceptable if your only aim is to survive another day. Ray Mears probably eats this."

AN INSOMNIAC SAYS: "All-Bran is so boring that just thinking about it is enough to send me straight off to sleep. A great success!"

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CURIOUSLY CINNAMON

OUR TASTER SAYS: "Don't look like much, but these sheets of cinnamon have a great flavour and don't go as flaccid as an old man's thingy when you add milk."

AN INSOMNIAC SAYS: "I really regret having that operation to replace all of my blood with Relentless."

★★★★★



COCO POPS CHOC'N'ROLL

OUR TASTER SAYS: "These bastard-hard wheels won't go soggy in milk but are disappointingly bland, flavour-wise. Normal Coco Pops are definitely way more better."

AN INSOMNIAC SAYS: "I once yawned for so long that a family of mice started living in my mouth."

★★★★★



APPLE JACKS APPLE CLONES

OUR TASTER SAYS: "These look a bit like Froot Loops, and taste bloody brilliant. They're def better than apples."

AN INSOMNIAC SAYS: "I gaze into the mirror for hours, longing for sleep. My eyes ache, my soul aches, my heart aches. Cereal is bad-ass."

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COOKIE CRISP

OUR TASTER SAYS: "These look great, but taste like you're eating sand with sugar mixed in. I suspect the 'chocolate chips' might just be painted on."

AN INSOMNIAC SAYS: "My eyes are so bloodshot that every time someone photographs me, I break their red-eye filter. Help me."

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CRUNCHY NUT CLUSTERS

OUR TASTER SAYS: "These are crispy with a soft centre, making them perfect early-morning stodge. If you have a nut allergy, they're awful."

AN INSOMNIAC SAYS: "My eyes are so sore, I've had to start using eyedrops. Thus far I have got through an entire sea. There's no more sea anymore. No more sea."

★★★★★



CAP'N CRUNCH

OUR TASTER SAYS: "These are fine for a few mouthfuls but forcing sodden corn down your gullet soon becomes a chore. All aboard the good ship average!"

AN INSOMNIAC SAYS: "Counting sheep is meant to help you nod off. I have counted more sheep than actually exist in the world."

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NESQUIK

OUR TASTER SAYS: "Crunchy, chocolatey and filling – a good all-rounder, even if it does look like you've got a bowl full of rabbit shit."

AN INSOMNIAC SAYS: "I once had a hallucination about making sweet, sweet love to a rabbit. I ended up being forcibly ejected from that branch of DFS."

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FROOT LOOPS MARSH-MALLOWS

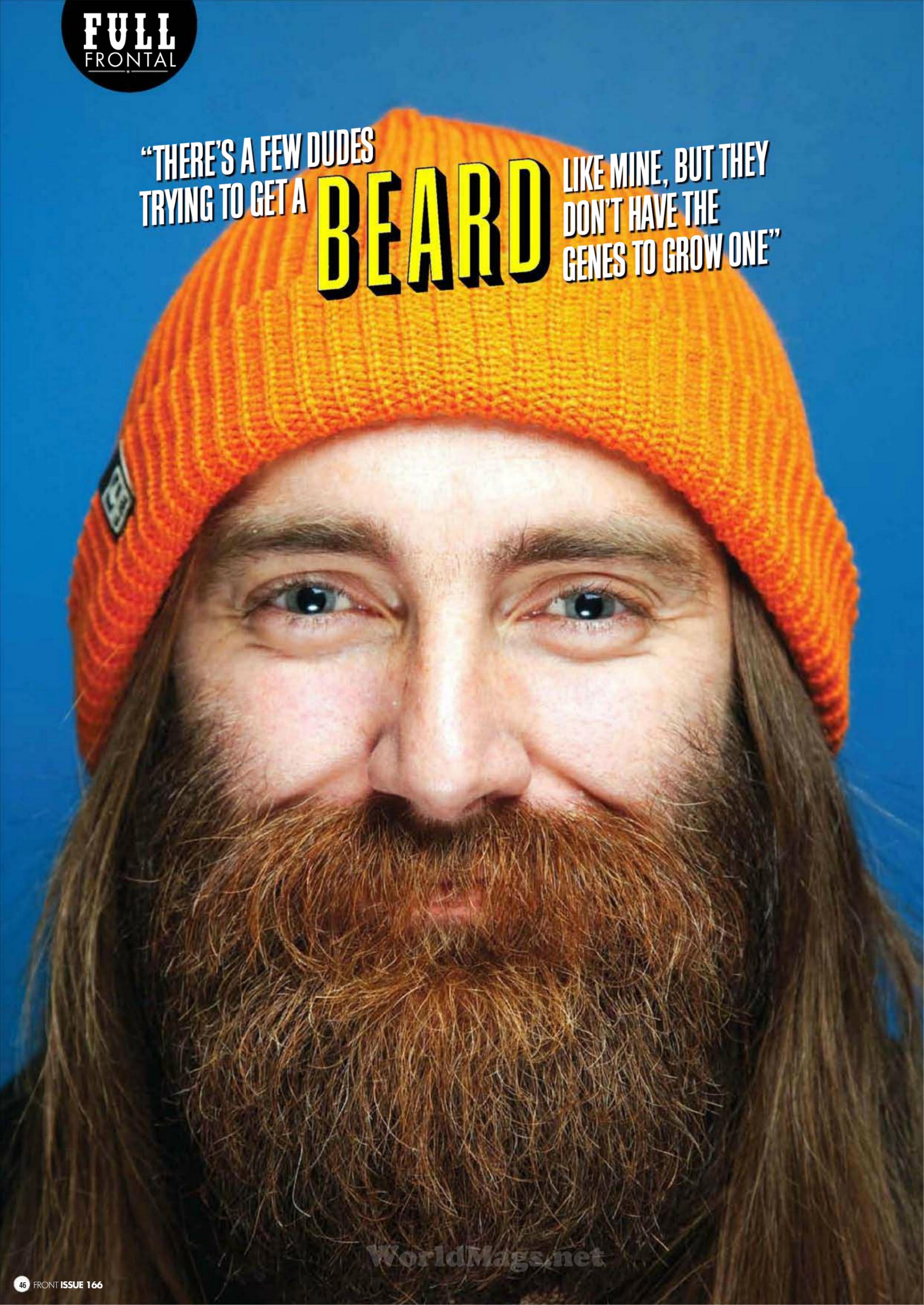
OUR TASTER SAYS: "This smells like a fire at a paint factory and tastes like I've sucked off Morph. It's a fluorescent sugary hate-swamp."

AN INSOMNIAC SAYS: "The bags under my eyes are so big, I can keep my PE kit in them."

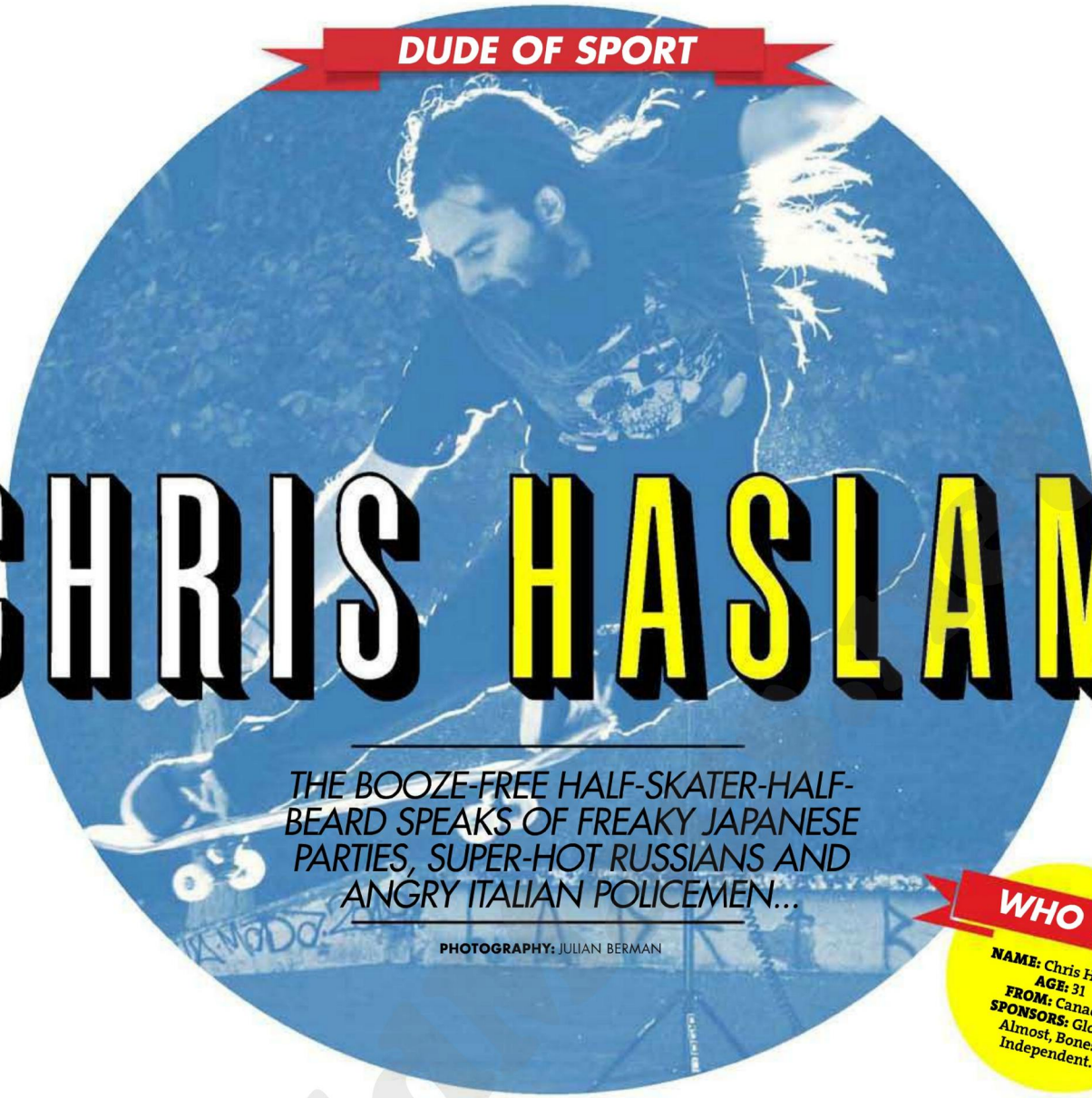
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CHRIS HASLAM

THE BOOZE-FREE HALF-SKATER-HALF-BEARD SPEAKS OF FREAKY JAPANESE PARTIES, SUPER-HOT RUSSIANS AND ANGRY ITALIAN POLICEMEN...

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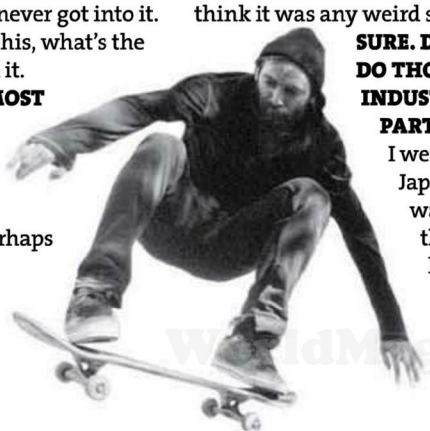
HEY CHRIS, YOU'RE OUT IN MADRID RIGHT NOW. HOW'S IT GOING?
Real good, man. I'm filming for a video and it's all been pretty rad so far. Out here, they have a completely different programme for nights out. Staying up until 7am is no big deal to these dudes, but being a non-drinker, it's not like I'm doing that every day.

YEAH, LET'S TALK ABOUT THAT. WHERE DID THE CHOICE COME FROM FOR YOU NOT TO DRINK OR DO DRUGS?
I grew up in Singapore, where underage drinking is pretty hard to come by. You can get in some real deep shit if you're caught. I was more into college sport than going to bars when I was a kid so I never got into it. I just thought, "Fuck this, what's the point?" and never did it.

WHAT'S BEEN THE MOST POSITIVE THING TO COME OUT OF IT?
I would say not waking up next to grubby chicks, but perhaps being sober makes it even worse! Nah, just the money side of things, and not making stupid decisions and forgetting about them. I talk to my homies who say they've woken up in gutters with their pants off. If I end up doing that when I'm sober then I've got some serious issues.

SO WHERE DO YOUR EARNINGS GO?
On travel, mainly. That's more of a hole in my wallet than anything else.

YOU MUST SEE SOME WACKY SHIT AT PARTIES THOUGH...
The dude I was telling you about who woke up in the gutter? He hitchhiked for three hours and ended up neck-deep in water in this gutter with no pants on. I guess he slept like that. His ass never hurt though, so I don't think it was any weird shit.



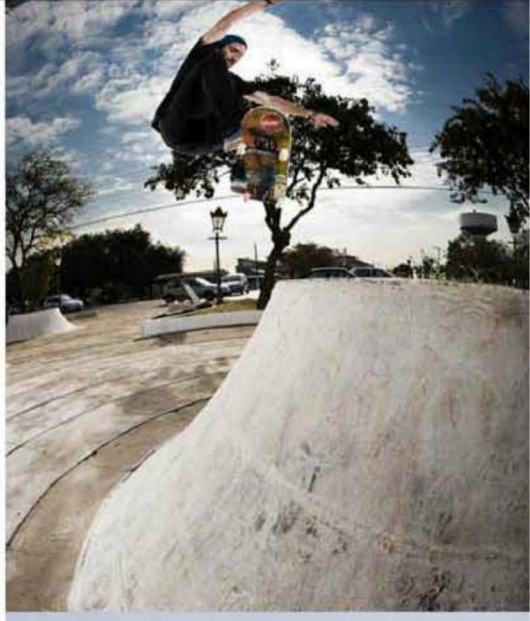
SURE. DO YOU STILL DO THOSE HUGE INDUSTRY-TYPE PARTIES?
I went to one in Japan while I was on a trip there. I was kinda like, "What the fuck am I doing here?". There were dudes wearing wings and ass-less chaps, and chicks in next to nothing. For one, I couldn't speak to anyone cos I was Japan, so I was just that creepy dude at the back of the room not talking to anyone. It was weird.

WHAT DO YOU DRINK, THEN?
Just juice. It's crazy, because in some places it costs more than alcohol. I get one and just try and make it last the night. Here in Madrid, some guy obviously played as me on a video game and hooked me up with drinks all night. That's a rarity but happens in the weirdest places.

OH YEAH? WHERE'S THE WEIRDEST PLACE YOU'VE BEEN RECOGNISED?
In Russia. I was four hours out of Moscow waiting for this chick I met at a contest, and she totally flaked out on me. I was stranded there, didn't know anyone, and two dudes strolled up to me. I was like, "Holy shit". The only thing I understood them saying was my name. But they were cool, and showed me back to my place. The chicks over there are insane, so I didn't mind being stranded there.

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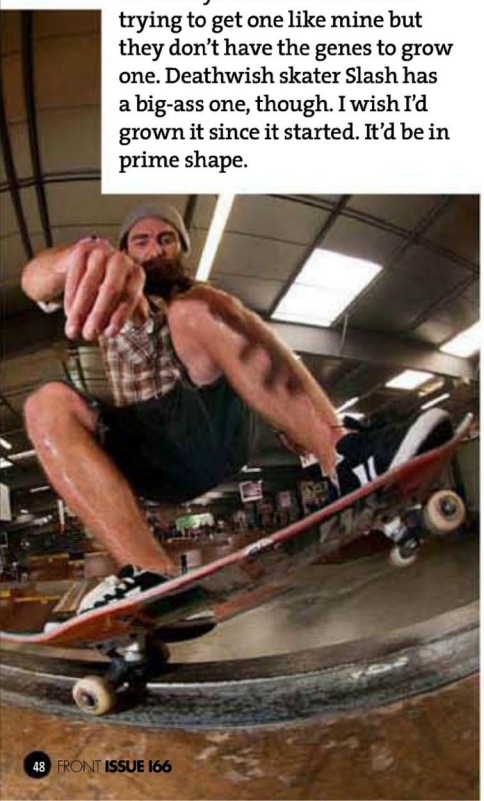




YOU'VE TRAVELLED AROUND, SO WHERE HAS THE BEST GIRLS IN THE WORLD?
Dude, seriously, that town in Russia called Kazan had the most insane chicks I've ever seen. They're super tall, have this amazing complexion and the best eyes. I couldn't speak to any of them, though.

AGAIN? MAN, YOU NEED TO INVEST IN SOME LANGUAGE LESSONS OR SOMETHING.
Not doing that is one of my biggest regrets. I feel like I should be at least putting in some time with a course or some shit. Man, they don't speak slow enough for me.

AMAZING. SO, THE BEARD. IS IT THE STRONGEST BEARD IN SKATING?
Nowadays there's a few dudes trying to get one like mine but they don't have the genes to grow one. Deathwish skater Slash has a big-ass one, though. I wish I'd grown it since it started. It'd be in prime shape.



WE READ SOMEWHERE THAT YOU GET MISTAKEN FOR A HOBO QUITE A BIT, TOO.
Dude, it happened 20 minutes ago. I walked into a shop and some guy obviously thought I was sketchy so followed me around. I walked out and he ran after me because he thought I stole something. Two days ago, I was sleeping in the park. The fucking cops drove their car into the park and started trying to hassle me. Obviously they didn't speak English. So that's two in three days.

AGAIN, GET THEM LANGUAGE LESSONS, OUI? THE BEARD'S A PRETTY BIG PART OF YOUR DECK ART, TOO. WE FUGGIN' LOVE THE PARTING THE BEARD DECK.
That was my idea. I drew that. I was watching some dumb-ass Jim Carrey film, that Bruce Almighty one, and that bit when he split the soup in the bowl? I thought that was fucking hilarious so drew it up. You ever see that photo of the Willie Nelson tattoo above some chick's pussy? Her bush is his beard?

ERM, PERHAPS...
I did one just like that, too. That board's out already but was limited edition. It was with some old chick, and the beard was all grey and shit, it was pretty sick.

INCREDIBLE. LASTLY, YOU LOVE METAL. IF YOU COULD PICK ONE FROM THE BIG FOUR, WHO'D IT BE?
Ha, well right now I would have to say Slayer, but 15 years ago it would have been Metallica for sure. Megadeth are pretty tight too, but I find Dave Mustaine's voice so whiney. I read his book recently and it bummed me out a bit. I just wanted to say to him, "Dude, get over it, be your own dude". He just seems like such a little bitch. FRONT

CHRIS HASLAM: CREDENTIALS



WORST INJURY: SEPARATED SHOULDER
"I've been lucky with injuries. I did my shoulders and chipped a few bones, and that's it. The worst immediate pain is definitely hitting your balls, though."



FAVOURITE PERSON TO RIDE WITH: MY FRIENDS
"Mainly my buddy Shaun, he's not sponsored or anything. I work my magic when I'm around my homies."



MOST INSPIRATIONAL SKATER : ED TEMPLETON
"I have a few really. Ed Templeton, Jamie Thomas and Marc Johnson are definitely up there."



FAVOURITE PLACE TO RIDE: EUROPE
"If England had weather like the rest of Europe, then I would probably skate there all the time. My parents are both British. I have a dual citizenship."



MUSIC TO SHRED TO: SABATON
"I was going to meet them at Graspop a while back. I decided not to because I didn't want them to be assholes and ruin it for me."

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"IF I END UP WAKING UP IN GUTTERS WITH NO PANTS ON WHEN I'M SOBER THEN I'VE GOT SOME SERIOUS ISSUES"

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RIBBIT

The Frog Weather Reporter, £13, *geekalerts.com*

GOOD: This Japanese frog gentleman can predict the weather: if the liquid is high in his little, erm, arm thing, then it's going to rain; if it's not, it's not. ????????????!!!!!!!!!!!!!!1!

BAD: We're not sure the person who designed this has ever seen an actual frog before.



OLDE FUN

Atari Flashback 3 Console, £40, *firebox.com*

GOOD: Has the bullet-ridden realism of Call Of Duty given you the post-traumatic stress disorder? If so, head back to the blocky, bleepy '80s with 60 classic videogames, including Centipede, Super Breakout and Asteroids.

BAD: Could've lived without Tic-Tac-Toe and Fun With Numbers...

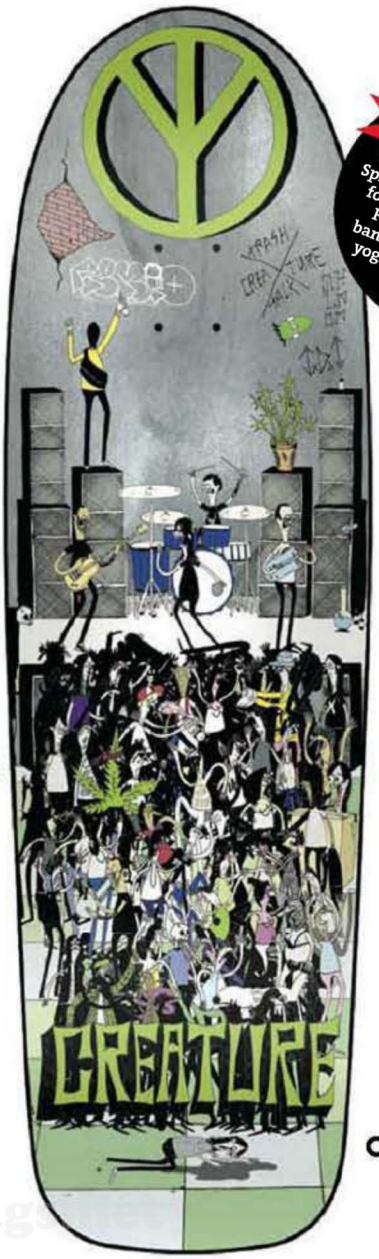


OLD APPLE

Padintosh, £TBA, *thumbsupworld.co.uk*

GOOD: Now you can dress your iPad 2 up as a 1980s Mac 128K. Don't be surprised if strangers are overcome with the urge to smash your face in with it.

BAD: If you like the '80s so much, why don't you just go and live there? In a giant ironic VHS cassette? With the A-Team?



F.Y.I

Trash Talk frontman Lee Spielman once got arrested for stealing from Whole Foods. To be fair, the banana chips dipped in yoghurt are delicious.

PUNK DECK

Creature x Trash Talk, £37, *nhsfunfactory.com*

GOOD: So-hot-right-now California hardcore outfit Trash Talk get themselves immortalised in deck form – all hipsters everywhere explode with holy-shit-I-must-have-it excitement!

BAD: Expect to see these going for upwards of twentyhundred millionthousand thousand quid on eBay real soon.

STAR TREK DEKS

Emulator DJ, from £4,700, *firebox.com*

GOOD: Looking like some mad piece of kit from the USS Enterprise, the Emulator DJ is a huge see-through touchscreen DJing system – a great way to distract people from the fact that you can't mix for shit toffee.

BAD: Reading the manual for this fucker will most likely give you permanent Spockface. Urr.



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"YOU WANT A TOE?"

Big Lebowski Walter Figure, £20, *firebox.com*



GOOD: Now you can have your very own mentally-unstable, trigger-happy Vietnam veteran to go bowling with on Wednesdays, rather than alone... all alone. "This is what happens when you fuck a stranger in the ass!" and so on and so forth etc etc.
BAD: We'd actually have preferred a Dan off of Roseanne figure ourselves, but no matter, whatevs...

PRECOGNITIVE PEN

Predict-A-Pen, £4, *firebox.com*

GOOD: Should you have a sex change? Is your missus a secret Nazi? Does Cheryl Cole ever think about you while she fiddles one off? Answer all these questions and more with one click of the Predict-A-Pen – responses range from, "Hell yeah!" to, "Dude, no way".
BAD: We need a Predict-A-Pen to find out if we should buy a Predict-A-Pen or not. Paradox!

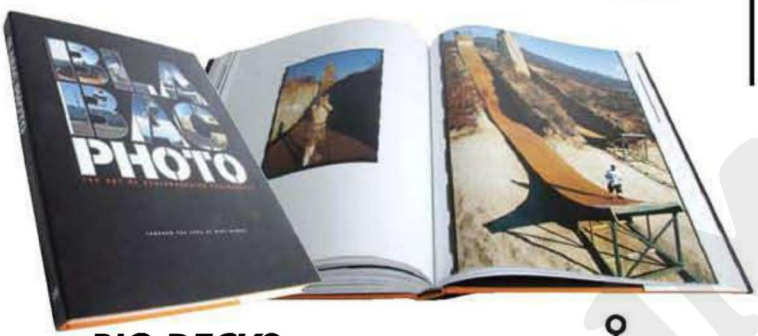


CAR BUMEY

VisionRacer D-Box VR3, £13,899, *firebox.com*

GOOD: Ditch that sweaty old PC joypad with a bogey jammed under the A button and treat yourself to the most insanely realistic videogame driving controller ever created.
BAD: You could buy a real-life Beemer for the same price.

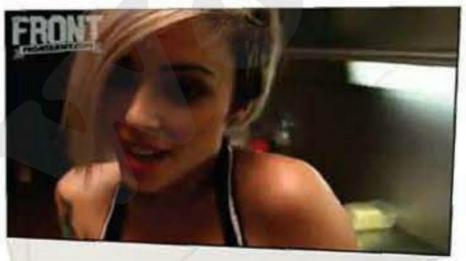




BIG DECKS

Blabac Photo: The Art Of Skateboarding Photography by Mike Blabac, £25, *amazon.co.uk*

GOOD: Athletic young men publicly bending their excited, sweaty bodies into all manner of filthy, bendy, twisty, lovely tight positions...
BAD: ...while on skateboards. Bums.





MEGAPHONE

Pico Genie A100 iPhone Projector, £250, *firebox.com*

GOOD: Blow your iPhone screen up to 60in across with this dinky wee projector/speaker system/back-up battery. It's like having a cinema in your pocket!
BAD: This cinema has no toilets. Don't piss in your pocket, okay?

WHAT THE FUCK?

OCTO-ARMS

Inflatable Tentacle Arms, £7.63 each, *thinkgeek.com*

GOOD: Recreate your most bed-shitting childhood nightmares by replacing your arms with these unfathomably disturbing tentacles.
BAD: We can't even look at these. Take them away please. Take them away and burn the bastards.



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ALT GIRL

ALLY TINDSLEY

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WHAT ARE YOU UP TO?
I'm studying photography at uni so I'm trying to get all my prints done. I was supposed to hand them in before Christmas and I still haven't. I'm too lazy for my own good.
WHAT IS YOUR DAY JOB?
I work in a café. It's not glamorous but we make awesome coffee.
WHAT IS YOUR DREAM JOB?
I want to be one of the Disneyland princesses. Pocahontas is bad-ass.
BEST THING ABOUT BEING A FRONT ALT GIRL?
There's plenty. You get to meet nice people, chat to them, and hang around naked for the day.
WHAT ARE YOUR TURN-ONS?
Good taste in music, a good laugh, and alcohol helps. It's always good to buy someone a few drinks.
WHAT ARE YOUR TURN-OFFS?
If you haven't got a sense of humour, you can go home.
WHO DO YOU HAVE A CRUSH ON?
Mel Clarke. She's beautiful, and so adorable. I want to bake cupcakes for her and take her to Rome.
TALK US THROUGH YOUR TATTOOS/PIERCINGS:
I've got a really shit star tattoo on my bum that I got while I was bunking off college. I've got a couple on my feet too – a cat and a little sheep. My dad's a sheep farmer and I have my own flock.
WHAT IS YOUR FAVOURITE FILM?
I could watch Howl's Moving Castle over and over again. I'm a big fan of Studio Ghibli films. They're fantastical and always have nice little storylines.
FAVOURITE ALBUM:
Blink's self-titled one. You can't beat having a bit of Blink on when you're driving.

"My student loan is going on alcohol and sushi"

"You don't need to remember a good night – that's how you know it was a good one"



WHAT'S YOUR FAVOURITE FOOD?
Sushi, it's the food of Gods. I had sushi for breakfast this morning. I think that's where my student loan's going, on alcohol and sushi.
WHAT WAS YOUR FIRST GIG?
Hear'Say, supported by The Tweenies. That's not something I'm particularly proud of.
PERFECT NIGHT OUT:
Finding the bruises and trying to piece it together the next morning. You don't need to remember a good night – that's how you know it was a good one.
PERFECT NIGHT IN:
Sat on the sofa under a duvet with a good film and a fatty pizza, having a bit of a smoke.
HIGH HEELS OR TRAINERS?
If you're gonna jump around like a lunatic, you need a good pair of trainers. If I've got heels on they quite often get thrown to the side and I'll be jumping around on the dancefloor with glass in my feet. It's not the classiest way to go about a night, but it's the best way.
WHO GETS WHAT IN YOUR WILL?
My dad would get my sheep, I'd have to make sure they were looked after. My shoes would have to go in their own special safe where they stayed forever.
CLAIM TO FAME?
I'm on a Paper Tigers tee promoting their new album. My little sister saw one of her mates wearing it and said she wanted one, and didn't even realise it was me. It must've thrown her that I was dressed up all saintly on it.
SEXY/MIND-BLOWING FACT ABOUT YOU:
I have a pet sheep called Merlin who thinks I'm his mum cos I bottle-reared him. Not many know realise I'm a farmer. I'm perfectly at home covered in sheep poo.
I SECRETLY HAVE A PASSION FOR:
Serial killers. I could spend my life reading all about them. They're the most fucked-up dudes, I find their backgrounds really interesting. **FRONT**



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WHAT ARE YOU UP TO RIGHT NOW?
Loathing university and looking for flats.
TALK US THROUGH YOUR TATTOOS: **I have six tattoos that include a rose, a hell of a lot of script, and a baby cross on my ankle.**
WHAT'S YOUR FAVOURITE ALBUM ?
Black Flag, Family Man.
WHAT'S YOUR BOOZE OF CHOICE? **Crunk juice of course. Madness.**
WHAT'S YOUR IDEA OF A PERFECT NIGHT OUT?
Getting shitfaced and causing problems.



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SAM BARNES

20, ESSEX

WHAT ARE YOU UP TO RIGHT NOW? I'm in my dalmatian onesie making an Oreo milkshake. Yum.
GOT ANY SECRET PASSIONS? I'm a total comic nerd.
HAVE YOU GOT ANY PIERCINGS? I have eight ear piercings and learned the hard way never to get them done in the winter – it stings like a bitch!



ROXANNE AMBROSE

20, GRAVESEND

WHAT WAS YOUR FIRST GIG? This is embarrassing – my first gig was in fact Party In The Park at The Hop Farm, including Busted, Dannii Minogue and Darius.
GOT ANY SECRET PASSIONS? I have a huge passion for poetry, I love writing.
ANYTHING ELSE THAT YOU'RE ITCHING TO TELL US? I love chicken!









AMY EATON

19, PLYMOUTH







WHAT'S YOUR BOOZE OF CHOICE? Guinness, but I do love a good screwdriver.
GOT ANY SECRET PASSIONS? Middle-aged musicians. Oh, and board games! I love 'em.

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21, EPSOM

WHAT ARE YOU DOING RIGHT NOW? Got a bit of Manchester Orchestra playing and I'm ready for a good nap now.
WHAT'S YOUR FAVOURITE ALBUM EVER? Linkin Park, Road To Revolution. It holds so many amazing memories. I swear you can hear my high-pitched screaming on the live recording as soon as Chester Bennington comes on stage.

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A-LIST PLAYLIST

JUSTIN SANE ANTI-FLAG

THE GOBBY FRONTMAN TALKS US THROUGH THE TUNES THAT SHAPED HIM

1 WE GOT A FIGHT
SHAM 69



FOUND ON: Tell Us The Truth (1978)

"The very first line in the live version of this song is, 'This song's all about, uh, getting your head kicked in'. It's the most bad-ass way to open a record. On top of that, the song delivers. It's written by a band that's done some living, and I love that."

2 POLICE STORY
BLACK FLAG



FOUND ON: Damaged (1981)

"This opens with, 'Fuck the city, fuck the pigs', which, from being a teenager in America with a mohawk, is something I can relate to. We would get fucked with by cops pretty much on a weekly basis. When I was 18, a kid was drinking underage, and the cops brutalised him. We stepped in and they pulled a gun on me. It was pretty over the top."

3 WARHEAD
UK SUBS



FOUND ON: Brand New Age (1980)

"As an anti-war anthem, it's lyrically really creative and beautiful. The chorus is, 'There's a burning sun and it sets in the western world/ rise from the east, pretty sun/burn their temples down'. It's a song about questioning what war is about, doing away with the old and building something better. That, of course, is the gist of what Anti-Flag has been about after all these years."

4 KISS ME DEADLY
GENERATION X



FOUND ON: Generation X (1978)

"What I love about this song is that it tells the most incredible story. It paints pictures. You play a movie in your head on the visuals they give you. It's a story of the desperation a lot of young people feel, and the uncertainty of their future."

5 THE DAY THE WORLD TURNED DAY-GLO
X-RAY SPEX



FOUND ON: Germfree Adolescents (1978)

"These vocals are amazing. Poly Styrene is just epic. You don't have any female singers that sing like she sings on that record. Like, the way

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she finishes each line of the chorus line with a squeak in her voice. They brought the saxophone to punk-rock. Everything about it is so exciting. It's a song that makes you feel good."

6 B.A.T.F AUS-ROTTEN



FOUND ON: The System Works... For Them (1996)
"These next three are more local bands from where I grew up in Pennsylvania. Aus-Rotten were one of the revival bands of '77 and '82 English punk, and this is a song about the police state and the idea that it's better to talk to people about their beliefs rather than telling them what their beliefs should be. I can relate to that, it's an important part of democracy."

7 ROCK THE BOAT THE BAD GENES



FOUND ON: Rock The Boat/Dead People (1992)
"This touches on the fact that a part of loving your country is questioning what your country does. They had a profound effect on us and I think this is some of the best political punk-rock ever written. It's a shame most people haven't heard of them."

8 BEER SONG SUBMACHINE



FOUND ON: Sawed Off-Shotglass (1997)
"This is hands-down the best punk-rock song about drinking beer and having a good time. The chorus goes, 'Hey ho, let's go drink beer'."

9 BODIES SEX PISTOLS



FOUND ON: Never Mind The Bollocks, Here's The Sex Pistols (1977)
"The lyrics 'fuck this and fuck that' are beyond brilliant. I think the whole song reveals the frustration of what takes place in our society. The song goes into the issue of abortion, but overall, it points to how frustrated people get with what society throws at them. Very few songs have been able to match the vigour."

10 BEVERLY HILLS CIRCLE JERKS



FOUND ON: Gig (1992)
"We live in a Kim Kardashian and Paris Hilton world, and this song talks about what bullshit the consumer culture is years before these type of people were about. It does it in a fun way, so there's some humour to it. When I was younger and I put this on it always made me laugh, it still does."

11 40 OZ CASUALTY THE CASUALTIES

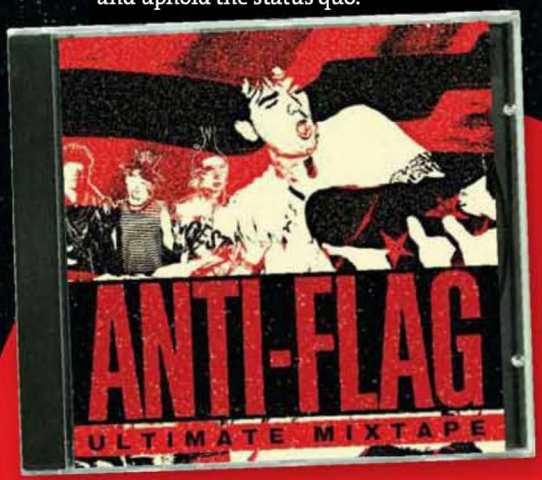


FOUND ON: 40 Oz Casualty E.P (1993)
"I absolutely love this band. All the guys in the band are all about being punk. They make no apologies for drinking 40-ounces and hanging out at shows, that's part of our lifestyle. If you don't like it, they don't care. It's a song about not apologising for who you are, even if that means you're a drunk punk in the gutter. I don't think that's a great thing for someone to be, but the fact someone is willing to say, 'This is who I am, and if you don't like it, fuck you' – I support that statement."

12 SO THIS IS FREEDOM? THE UNSEEN



FOUND ON: So This Is Freedom? (1999)
"This is a super great punk anthem. The Unseen were one of our peers, playing the same kind of music around the same time we were. They had a huge impact on us, musically and ideologically. The song in general is asking how free we really are in society. We're free to a certain extent as long as you're willing to play the game and uphold the status quo."

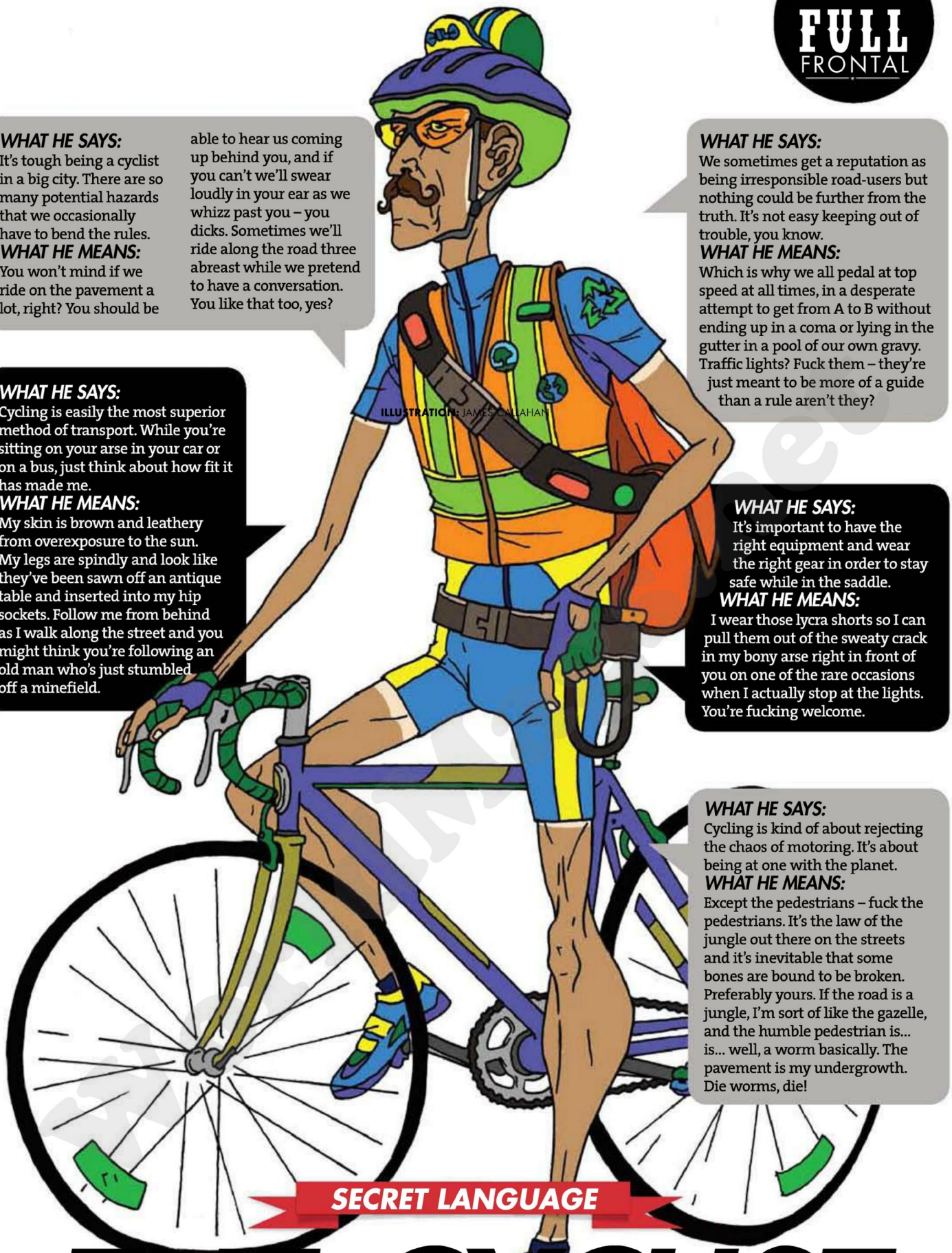


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WHAT HE SAYS:
It's tough being a cyclist in a big city. There are so many potential hazards that we occasionally have to bend the rules.
WHAT HE MEANS:
You won't mind if we ride on the pavement a lot, right? You should be able to hear us coming up behind you, and if you can't we'll swear loudly in your ear as we whizz past you – you dicks. Sometimes we'll ride along the road three abreast while we pretend to have a conversation. You like that too, yes?

WHAT HE SAYS:
We sometimes get a reputation as being irresponsible road-users but nothing could be further from the truth. It's not easy keeping out of trouble, you know.
WHAT HE MEANS:
Which is why we all pedal at top speed at all times, in a desperate attempt to get from A to B without ending up in a coma or lying in the gutter in a pool of our own gravy. Traffic lights? Fuck them – they're just meant to be more of a guide than a rule aren't they?

WHAT HE SAYS:
Cycling is easily the most superior method of transport. While you're sitting on your arse in your car or on a bus, just think about how fit it has made me.
WHAT HE MEANS:
My skin is brown and leathery from overexposure to the sun. My legs are spindly and look like they've been sawn off an antique table and inserted into my hip sockets. Follow me from behind as I walk along the street and you might think you're following an old man who's just stumbled off a minefield.

ILLUSTRATION: JAMES CALLAHAN

WHAT HE SAYS:
It's important to have the right equipment and wear the right gear in order to stay safe while in the saddle.
WHAT HE MEANS:
I wear those lycra shorts so I can pull them out of the sweaty crack in my bony arse right in front of you on one of the rare occasions when I actually stop at the lights. You're fucking welcome.

WHAT HE SAYS:
Cycling is kind of about rejecting the chaos of motoring. It's about being at one with the planet.
WHAT HE MEANS:
Except the pedestrians – fuck the pedestrians. It's the law of the jungle out there on the streets and it's inevitable that some bones are bound to be broken. Preferably yours. If the road is a jungle, I'm sort of like the gazelle, and the humble pedestrian is... is... well, a worm basically. The pavement is my undergrowth. Die worms, die!

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TRAIN LIKE A BASTARD

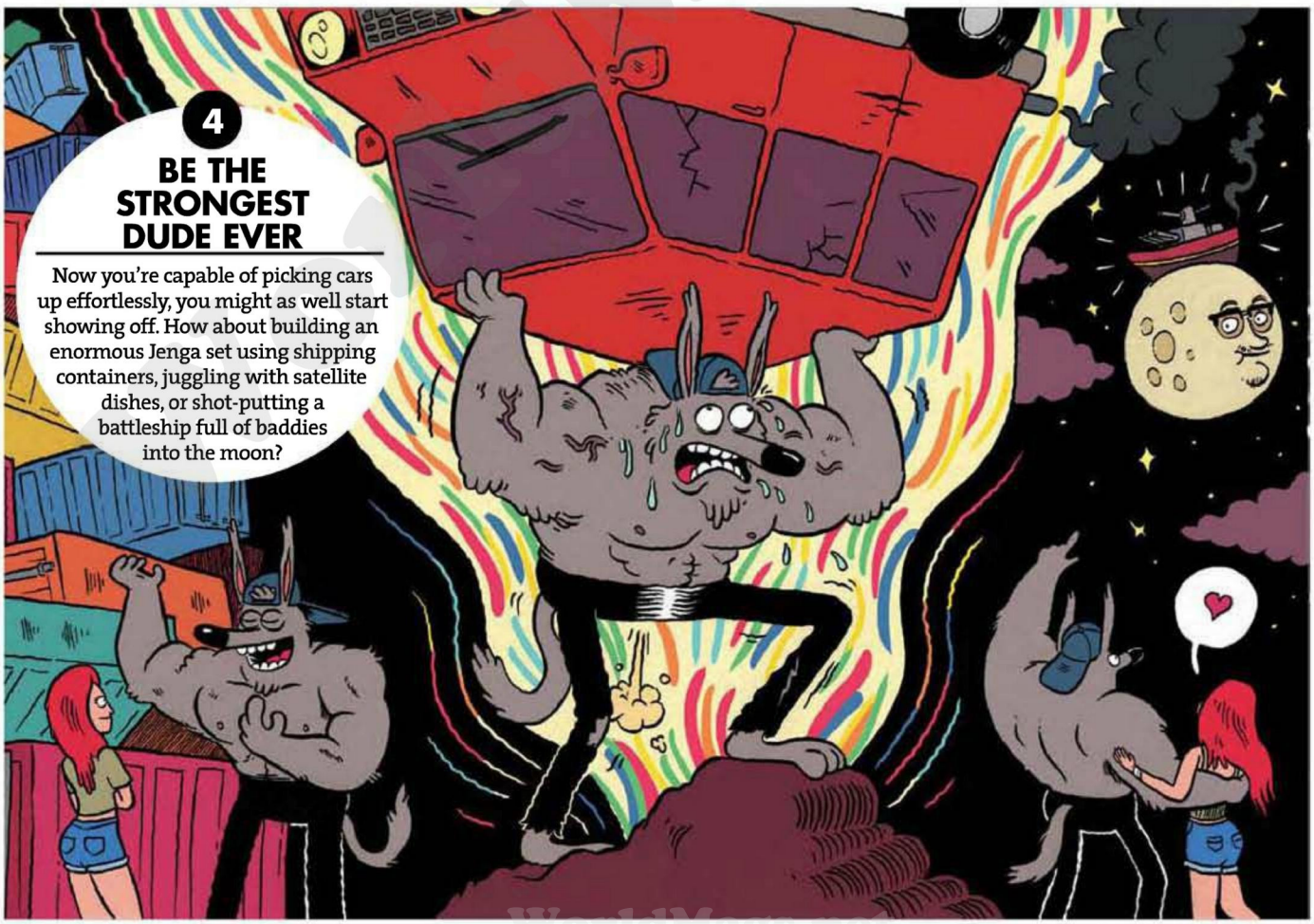
"You're not training for hours – it's more of a really intense hour and a half," says Glenn. It's all about explosive power, so rest and recovery are just as important. Most powerlifters end up with a huge hump of muscle mass on their backs – my back's one of the strongest parts of my body."



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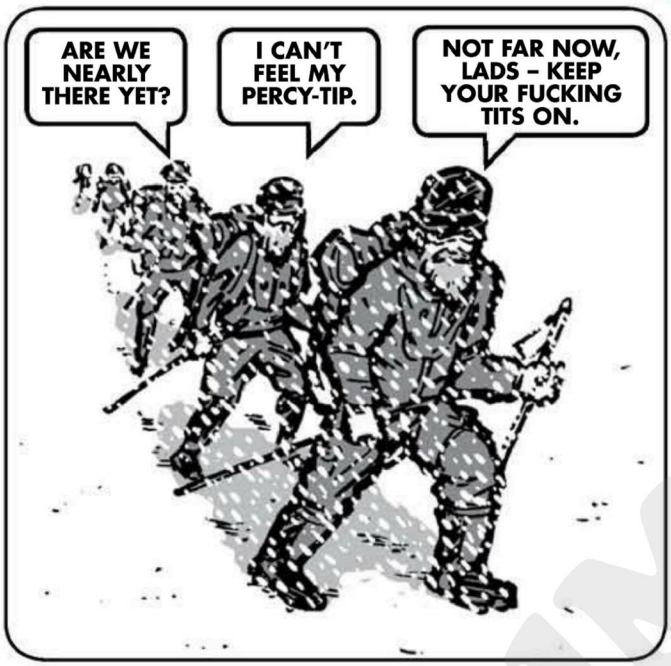
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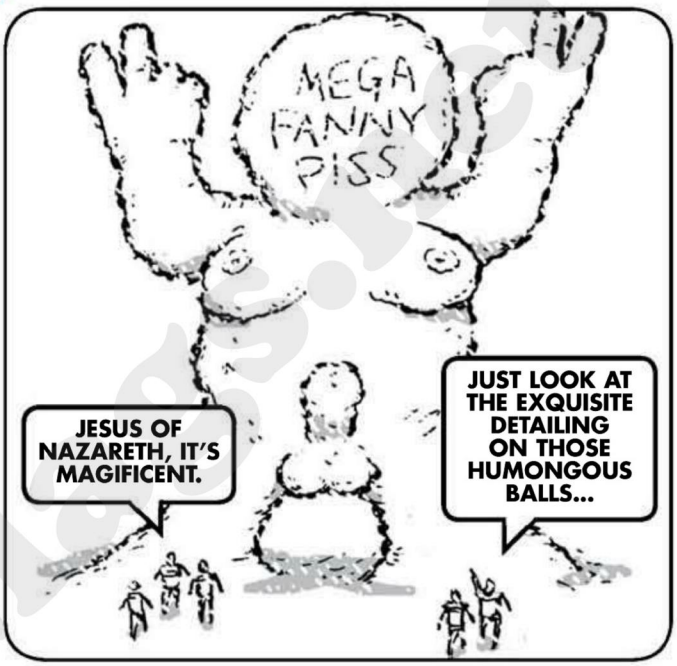
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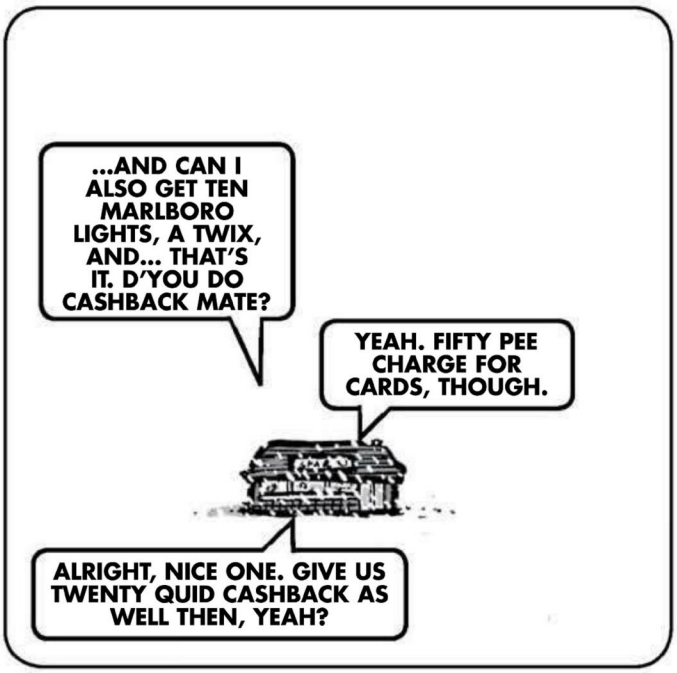
CAPTAIN ROBERT SCOTT LED A TEAM OF FIVE MEN TO THE SOUTH POLE, WHERE THEY AIMED TO CONSTRUCT THE LARGEST, RUDEST SNOWMAN THAT THE WORLD HAD EVER SEEN.



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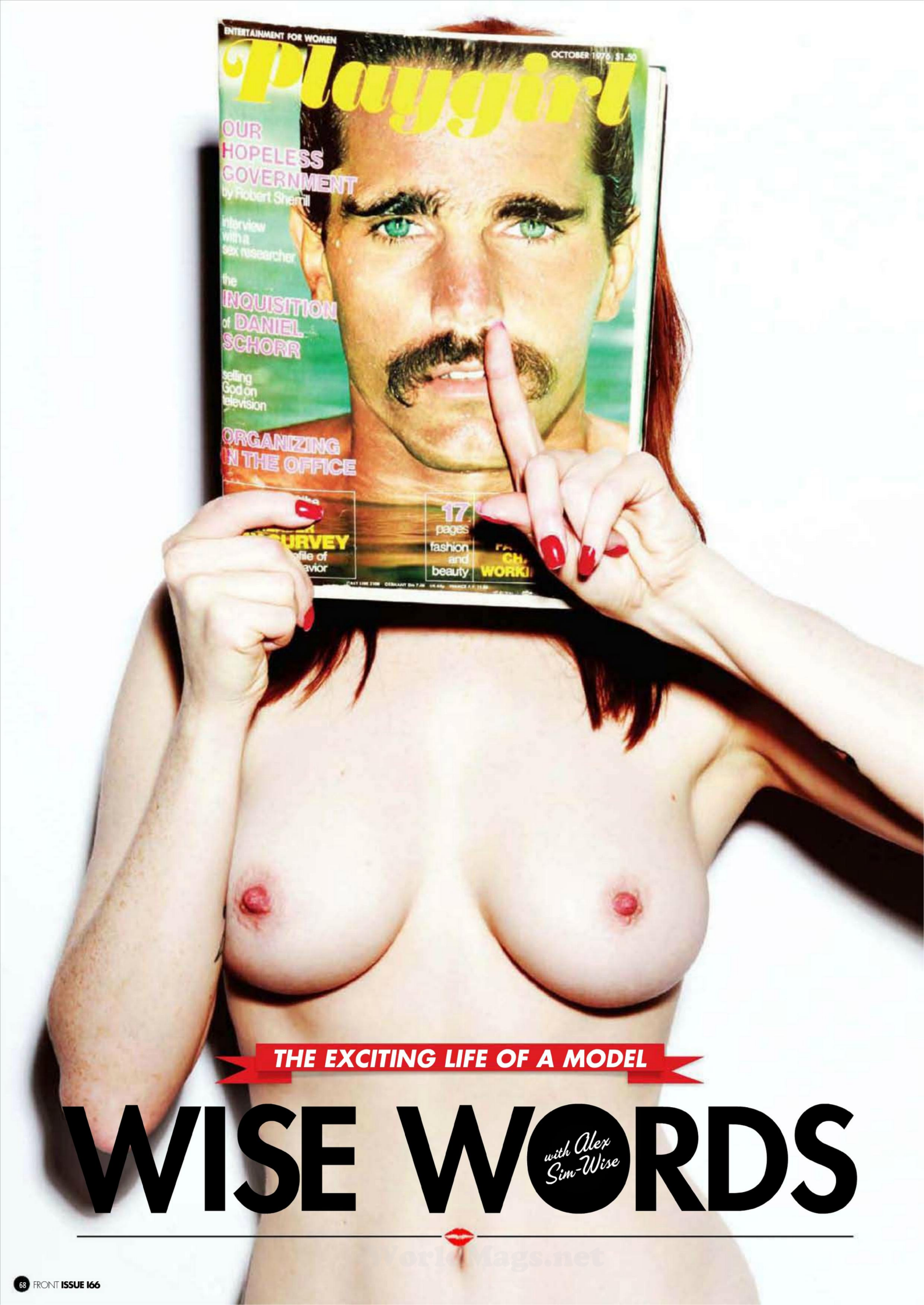
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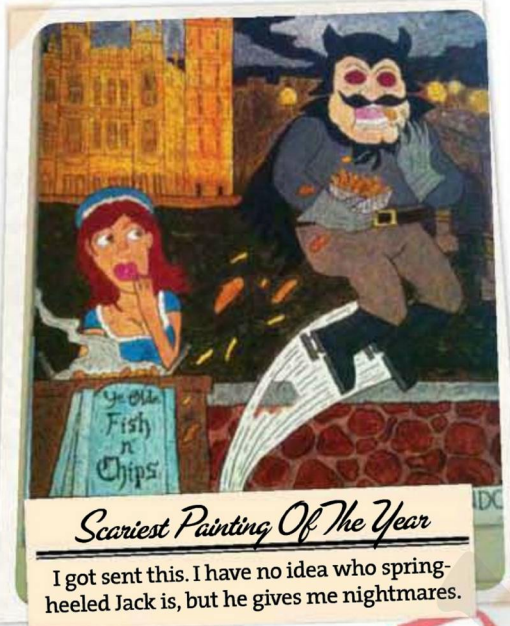
with Alex Sim-Wise

This month's AMAZING ADVENTURES



Viking Terror

Gingers are Vikings you know. That is why we have no souls.



Scariest Painting Of The Year

I got sent this. I have no idea who spring-heeled Jack is, but he gives me nightmares.

Topless Needlepoint

This was on a CHAIR boys and girls, in some fancy restaurant. I think it is the best idea ever.



Tea Time

I am all about going out for tea, it is dead good in winter as it warms your cockles.



An Ode To George Carlin

This swearword-laden monstrosity took me a month to knit and is over two metres long! WTF!



INSTA-SIM

Here are some shots from my bad-ass Instagram, on which I'm called *@simwise.*



An attempt to look French.



Tea cups are especially good if they have wine in.



I find this picture terrifying.

Sim-Wise ON FACIAL HAIR

I DON'T KNOW if you know this but I can't grow a beard. I've tried loads of times, inspired by sea folk and fishermen and the idea that all the cool people have beards, from Captain Birdseye to Brian Blessed. Yet not one wispy hair has ever sprouted from my chin. I think of all the things I could do with a beard: plait it, hide bits of food in it... maybe even run away with the fair! That would be good as they have a lot of crockery and I like crockery. I could even start work as a Jesus lookalike. The bearded possibilities seem endless. I once heard that Nicole Kidman had a beard, and as she is a ginger like me it gave me hope, that maybe someday I too could follow in her footsteps and build a chesty golden mane on my face to be the envy of many. Unfortunately it was just a euphemism for people who enjoy fish suppers. Dejected and confused, I went to the only person who could help me in my quest; my nan. She told me that growing a beard was easy, I just had to wait till I'm old, then I'll have hair sprouting out my ears (literally). I can't wait.

ON MY TV IDEAS

Working in TV, people often approach you for ideas for shows and stuff. The best idea I ever had was for a show called Miley Cyrus And Her Eight-Bit Vagina, which is an animated series (kind of like Hammerman) that would follow Miley around as she and her eight-bit (as in pixels) vagina got into a series of japes. A typical episode would start with a catastrophe, like a Starbucks burning down, and then her eight-bit vagina saves the day by running in and gushing the fire out with its feminine wiles. But oh no! In the process it caused a vacuum and now eight Starbucks employees are lost in her eight-bit vagina, how do we get them out? It is quite the dilemma. Of course, every episode ends with a hug and a mug of cocoa, with Miley saying, "I love my eight-bit vagina" and sighing because really, they are the best of friends.

WHAT I LIKES this month

EARL GREY TEA
It tastes like flowers and big girls' blouses.

HARRY BROWN
Even though I am late to the party and it is mega depressing.

WOODKID
French hipster Adele with a cock.

INSIDIOUS
Watching it tons of times to try and get less afraid of the granny and failing quite miserably.

NOEL FIELDING'S NEW SHOW
Everyone's saying it's shit but I think he's brilliant.



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THIS MONTH'S HIGHS AND LOWS

GOOD SHIT



GOING INTO MAPLIN AND LYING TO YOURSELF

You kid yourself you'll buy stuff to make a time machine but then buy a cut-price component cable and leave.

INTERNET FART SOUNDBOARDS

We might live in futuristic 2012, but that don't mean we can't enjoy clicking on a button that says 'bottom burp'.

BEING A FENCER

Get a sieve. Hold it in front of your face. Hit someone with a ruler. Well done.





NEEDLESSLY PROLONGING YAWNS

"Euuuuuuu-uuurrrrrrgggggggggghghhhhnnnnnnnnffffffnnnnnnnn, I'm soooooooooooo sleeeeeeeeeeeppy."



POOING AT NIGHT

Sure, society says you should poo in the day. Well hey society, sometimes we wanna poo in the night. Bet that's how Che Guevara used to shit. Rebel.

GETTING TOO MUCH CHANGE

Sure, you skip out the shop at the time like a secret lottery winner, but every time you go back in, you're waiting for them to shriek, "WHERE'S MY 65p YOU FUCKING THIEF?".

BUYING NEW SHOES AND FINDING THEY'RE LACED DIFFERENTLY

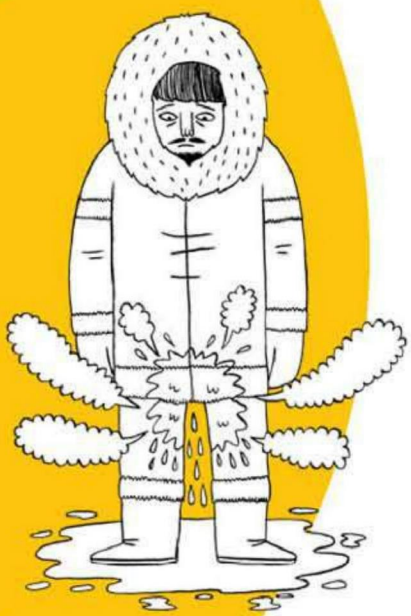
Fuck you, inconsistent-man-in-the-back-room-of-Office!

KEEP CALM AND CARRY ON SIGNS

It was one thing, and it's done. Leave it. Fuck fuck and fucking fuck, more like.







MULTIPLYING PUBES

Combine what's in your plughole with what's in your bedroom carpet and what's stuck to your soap, and you've got five crotches'-worth of pubes.

BAD SHIT

OLD PEOPLE KISSING

If you're old enough to have a house, do it in your damn house. The world doesn't need to see two 40-year-old tongues mashing against each other hell for leather.

COLD DAY GLOVELESS OUTDOOR PISSES

Your downstairs trumpet isn't at its largest, and freezing hands and boiling urine make it a steamy, shivery, clothes-ruining nightmare.

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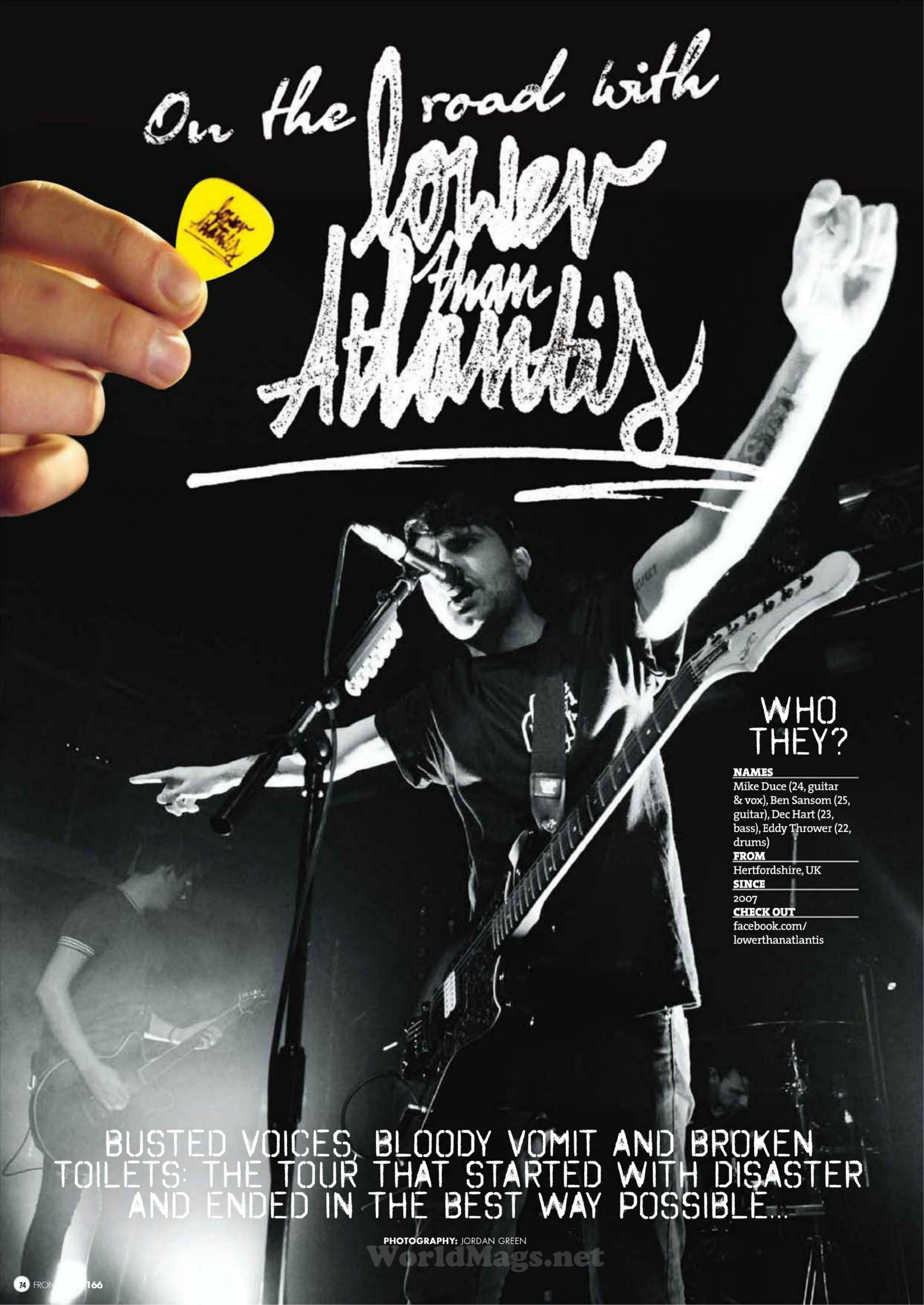
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On the road with Lower than Atlantis



WHO THEY?

NAMES
Mike Duce (24, guitar & vox), Ben Sansom (25, guitar), Dec Hart (23, bass), Eddy Thrower (22, drums)

FROM
Hertfordshire, UK

SINCE
2007

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BUSTED VOICES, BLOODY VOMIT AND BROKEN TOILETS: THE TOUR THAT STARTED WITH DISASTER AND ENDED IN THE BEST WAY POSSIBLE...

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DAY ONE SOUTHAMPTON

16:00 The 3pm load-in time has been and gone without any word from the LTA camp. We're sat, waiting, in a stupid pub that charges about £6.50 a pint. NOTE TO SELVES: bring own booze next time we are in Southampton.

16:30 Finally, the call comes through from tour manager Carl. "We're running mega super late," he says.

17:00 After hellos to everyone, we get to the bottom of LTA's tardiness. "We've fucking lost our backdrop," Eddy says. "We've had to leave a few cabs at home, too, they won't fit in our van. And the merch still isn't here. Oh man, have you seen that thing yet? The van, it's a beast".

17:30 Soundcheck is nearly there. The soundman is a fucking troll of a dude, and takes up a lot of valuable space in a venue that's going to be wall-to-wall, way too small for tonight. It's going to be a sweaty one.

17:50 "Has anyone seen a dude that looks like Billy Corgan? Billy Corgan, where are you?" Mike yells over the mic, in search of their merch guy, Don.

17:00 "MAN, HAVE YOU SEEN THE VAN YET? THE THING'S A BEAST." – EDDY

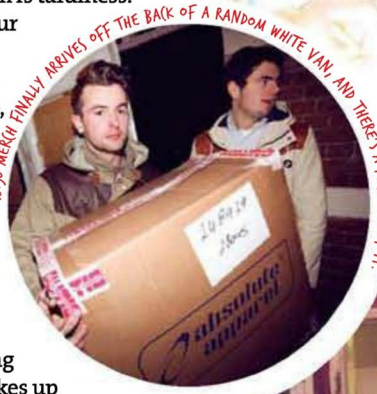




18:45 "Jesus Christ, I need to get some poo out of me," Mike says, starting to anticipate his first ever headline show. Usually, bowel movements aren't a problem, but tonight the glamorous backstage area comes complete with seatless toilet and non-existent loo roll.



18:30 MERCH FINALLY ARRIVES OFF THE BACK OF A RANDOM WHITE VAN, AND THERE'S A FUCKLOAD OF IT.



20:20 Talk in the dressing room quickly turns to C4 educational programme, Rogue Baboon. Dec does his impression of Fred, the monkey that can open car doors and push over old ladies. Someone later asks how the elderly always get two black eyes when they fall over.

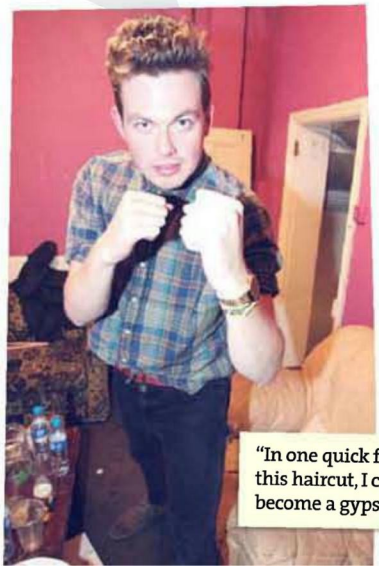






17:30 Mike's trying out his new, far-too-pretty guitar, an axe that the TM calls a "pain in the arse" to string. It sounds nice during his rendition of Killswitch Engage's Fixation On The Darkness, though.





"In one quick fuck around with this haircut, I can instantly become a gypsy fighter" – Ben.



CREW THE HELL ARE YOU?

NAME: Don
AGE: 24 **FROM:** New York, USA
JOB: Merch man, usually U.S tour manager

WHAT DO YOU DO ON THIS TOUR?
Hustling kids into buying tees, hoodies, jumpers, CDs and a million other things.

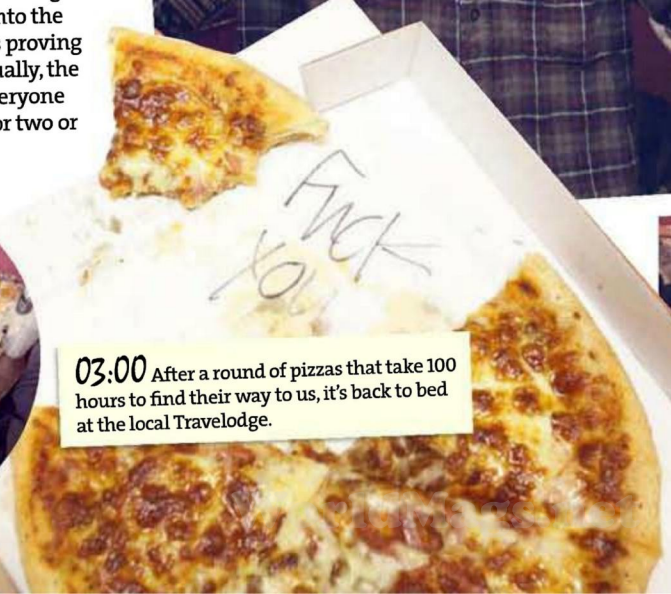
WHO ELSE HAVE YOU TOURED WITH?
Earth Crisis, Thick As Blood, As Blood Runs Black, The Red Shore, Too Pure To Die and others.

WHAT'S BEEN THE CRAZIEST THING YOU'VE SEEN ON THE ROAD?
I was in Virginia Beach and, as usual, there was mosh drama. The show got shut down and some dudes pulled guns, even the SWAT team showed up. Some people take hardcore way too seriously.



21:00 LET IT BEGIN!
22:00 This is the sweatiest gig ever.
23:00 And so ends LTA's first ever headline tour gig. It was unbearably hot down there: a fact that shows on the faces of all four members in the dressing room afterwards. Mike's face has turned beetroot and he's uncomfortably unapproachable and Dec's shirt (a shirt he's impressed only cost him £10 from Primark) has drowned itself in sweat. "Even after one song, I thought someone was going to have to take me to hospital," he says.
23:40 After almost recovering, it's loading out time. Amongst the broken belts, water bottles, hats and contents of pockets that remain from tonight's audience, someone has left some fanmail. It starts with the words, "I'll try to keep this brief", but does exactly the opposite. Each member dedicates time to reading through the whole thing.
00:45 It's apparent why some kit had to be left behind. The brain-melting jigsaw of fitting everything into the back of the gold-fleck beast is proving to be a nightmare, but eventually, the doors close on everything. Everyone makes their way for a drink or two or five at the local club, Unit.


DINNER IS SERVED



03:00 After a round of pizzas that take 100 hours to find their way to us, it's back to bed at the local Travelodge.



"THAT SHOW WAS SO HOT, I THOUGHT I WAS GONNA END UP IN HOSPITAL"





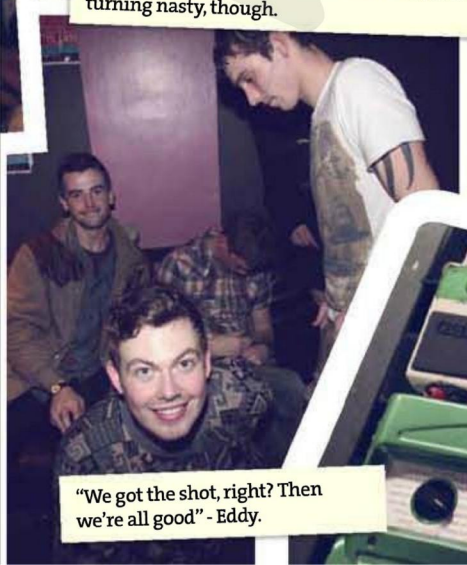






02:00 Eddy gets started on by a tattooed Jimmy Big Potatoes after he, Ben and Dec all pose around some sleeping drunk that's passed out next to them in Unit. Ben's 6ft 5 frame soon deters it from turning nasty, though.





"We got the shot, right? Then we're all good" - Eddy.





CREW THE HELL ARE YOU?

NAME: Ben Mansfield
AGE: 23 **FROM:** London
JOB: Lights

WHAT DO YOU DO ON THIS TOUR?
I flash lights in time to the music so the blinded crowd can't see the band.

BEST MOMENT ON THIS TOUR?
We stayed at Mike's aunt's house after the Birmingham gig, and she has a mansion with a pub inside it. She poured us all a few Guinnesses and I lost 80p playing pool with Eddy.

WHO ELSE HAVE YOU TOURED WITH?
Futures, We Are The Ocean, Fenech-Soler, The Xcerts, Not Advised.

WORST THING ABOUT YOUR JOB?
Being away from my girlfriend and my mates.

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DAY TWO CARDIFF

10:30 "FUCK being a singer" comes the first tweet of the day from Mike while we're waiting to roll out of Southampton, with no breakfast, and onto Cardiff. It's a pretty fitting tweet for a day that's about to probably be the most stressful of his life.

13:00 On the road, Mike is up at the front, not talking to anyone. Because he can't. Like, physically can't. Tour manager Carl is speaking of getting to Cardiff and then getting Mike straight to hospital. Before that, there's a brief stop at the roadside for a nasty garage all-day breakfast sandwich, before piling back into the bus.

14:20 Ben cracks out the ukulele, which has been dubbed Tiny Tim. That creepy song from horror flick Insidious is played over, and over, and over again, with a brief spell of Metallica to mix things up.

15:15 We arrive in Cardiff. Carl is straight on the phone to the local hospital to grab Mike some emergency steroids for his mysteriously vanished voice.



16:00 "Apparently there are some long-term effects from these steroids," says Mike. "The doctor said that under normal circumstances, I'd be recommended a week off work to rest."











13:30 DEC ENTERTAINS HIMSELF AS THE REST OF THE BAND LOAD OUT.

16:00 Prescription sorted. While the rest of the band load in, Mike and Carl head to a fucking shady and weird-looking house and to a bloke that can sort out an emergency prescription. On the way, they pass the worst-named pub in the world.



20:45 The LTA superfan is here. She's Lexy, and has come all the way from Germany for this show. "She's been coming to our shows since we've been playing to a room of ten people," says Ben. She's bought gifts, too, including a Chelsea bath duck for Ben.

21:45 Mike is sweating buckets, a sign that the 'roids are kicking in, along with him sounding 75% better. The band all seem amped, and are pretty jittery for tonight.

CREW THE HELL ARE YOU?



NAME: Carl Lewis
AGE: 33 **FROM:** The Midlands
JOB: Tour manager, backline tech and driver

WHAT DO YOU DO ON THIS TOUR?
I make sure everyone is where they need to be and has everything they need. I make sure everything on the stage is ready and look after accounts.

WHO ELSE HAVE YOU TOURED WITH?
Sophie Ellis-Bextor, Devin Townsend, Lana Del Rey, The Seventh Cross.

WORST-CASE SCENARIO FOR YOU ON A TOUR?
Pretty much Mike losing his voice on the second day. There was loads of running around trying to fix him.

ADVICE FOR SOMEONE WHO WANTS YOUR JOB?
Don't do it!



23:45 In light of Mike not being able to talk a few hours before, the gig is a success, with nothing going wrong, until a bit of a powercut during Another Sad Song...

23:46 ...and a load of puke as Mike exits stage. It looks pretty bad.

00:10 Mike is ushered away to the venue medic, who tells him that he has a virus that reacts to the energy and heat of the venues with vomit.

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"I'm going to stop drinking on tour. If this is going to be our legit career I need to take care of myself" – Mike.







"This stain is from a New Orleans buffet. It started out real small, but the grease kept on growing out and out, so now it's massive. They're my gig shoes now" – Ben.

Dec (above) indulging in his pre-gig ritual of getting pumped to a bit of Emmure and transforming into a metalcore monster.

"ALL THIS PUKE JUST FELL OUT OF ME"

HAPPY ENDINGS: A POST-TOUR CATCH UP WITH MIKE DUCE

Q&A

YOU SIGNED TO ISLAND RECORDS ON THE LAST DAY OF THE TOUR – HUGE CONGRATS. HOW DID YOU CELEBRATE?

Loads of champagne with our new label! We were like, "Man, you've got loads of money, take us for lobster" but we had to rush back to do our final show. We carried on the celebreation on stage, spraying the audience with champagne and giving some dude one of my guitars. I was gonna smash it up, but hey.

THE LEAD-UP TO THE SIGNING MUST'VE BEEN AMAZING...

Yeah, it was weird cos we were so pumped for the London show, being the biggest one of the tour and with all our friends and family there, so with the signing, it was the best day of our lives.

HOW'S THIS NEW LABEL GONNA CHANGE LTA?

It's not. It just means we can do everything we ever wanted.

IT'S A PRETTY RAD END TO AN UP-AND-DOWN FIRST HEADLINE TOUR. HOW HARD DID YOU SHIT YOURSELF WHEN YOU WOKE UP WITH NO VOICE ON DAY TWO?

I couldn't believe it. I went to say "Good morning" and nothing came out. I didn't want to disappoint by sounding like a cat being smashed around in a bag of needles.

AND THEN YOU SICKED YOURSELF AFTERWARDS...

Yeah, I felt awful all through that gig, but just had to put my game face on. I hadn't eaten and had to take those prescribed steroids to sort my throat out, so it was probably that. I went outside and told everyone I was gonna hurl, then all this puke just fell out of me onto the rest of the band's legs and shoes.

THAT WAS A LOW POINT – WHAT WAS THE HIGHEST?

I didn't know how announcing the new signing would go down. We didn't know if people would call us sellouts and stuff like that. But everyone started cheering. It lasted for more than 30 seconds, I couldn't stop laughing. All I could think was, 'Fucking yes, they're with us". That was an amazing moment.

YOU'RE ABOUT TO HEAD INTO THE STUDIO NOW. WHAT CAN WE EXPECT ON THE OTHER SIDE?

A healthy mix of everything, perhaps a little heavier than World Record. We're still LTA, though.





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THE PLANET'S BATSHIT-CRAZIEST DRUGS

FRONT CHOWS DOWN ON THE FREAKY NEW STREET DRUGS THAT MAKE SMACK, GAK AND CRACK LOOK LIKE A SIP OF SHERRY...

CARTOONS: BEN SUCKOUT



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BROMO-DRAGONFLY

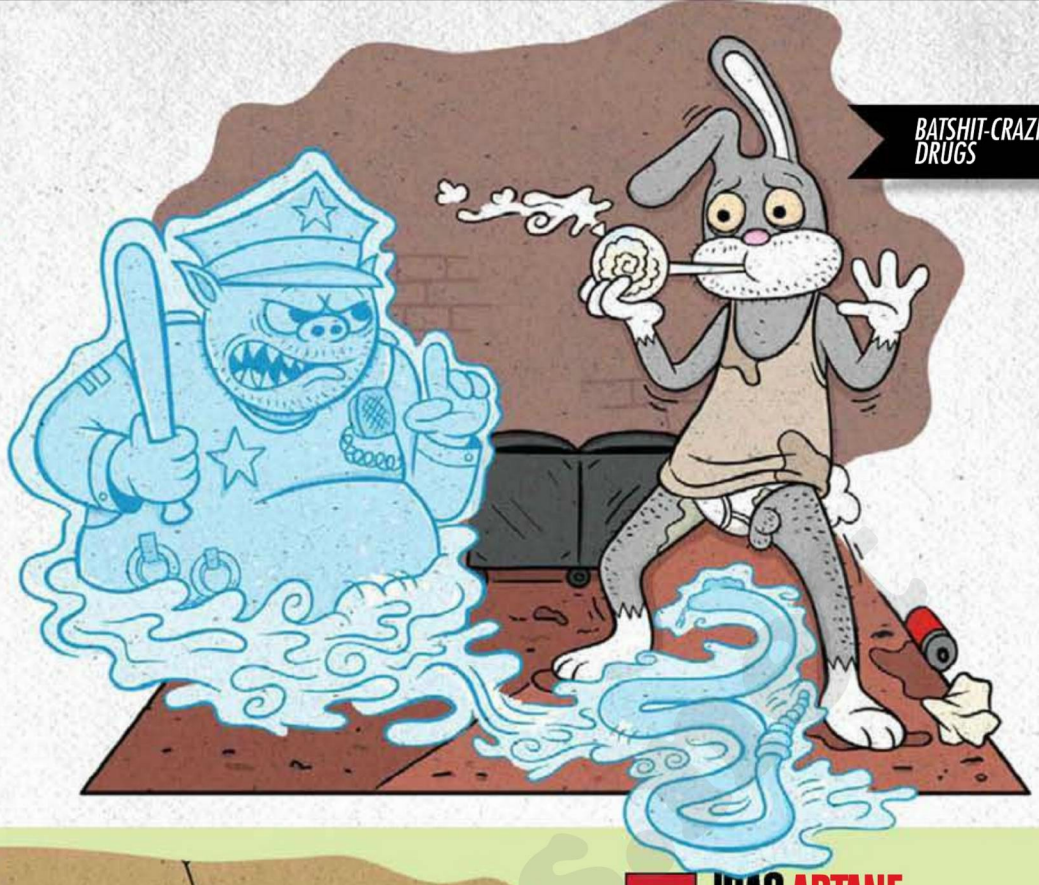
Bromo-DragonFLY (note the wacky capital letters) was first synthesised in 1988 (in a lab at Purdue University, Indiana) and has since gained a cult following amongst tripping aficionados – particularly in the home of black metal, Norway. It is only for the absolute hardest of the hardcore, as the trips tend to be ferociously dark and massively overwhelming.

"It was like being dragged to hell and back, many, many times," says one user. "It's easily the most evil drug I've ever tried." Bromo-DragonFLY is often sold on printed blotter-paper, leading users to mistake it for LSD, with disastrous consequences: while LSD trips last a few hours, Bromo-DragonFLY experiences can drag on for up to three looonnng days. But on the bright side, at around £4 a pop, it's one of the best-value drugs in the world – that's just five and a half pence per hour of tripping in hell!

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BRAZIL OXI

'Oxi' is short for 'oxidada', the Portuguese word for 'rust' – which is fitting, given how low-down grimy this Brazilian street drug is. A smokeable cocaine derivative (with gasoline, acetone and battery fluid mixed in for extra deliciousness), oxi is described as super crack: the manic high is similar, but oxi is four times cheaper, and even more addictive and paranoia-inducing. As one ex user explains, "You start thinking, 'The police are coming! A snake is coming! Everything is coming!'. You panic. But there is no snake. No police. There's nothing". Another ex oxi-zombie says, "You feel compelled to take it day and night – life and death don't matter, just oxi. It absorbs your whole life." Mmm. Sounds a lorra fun!





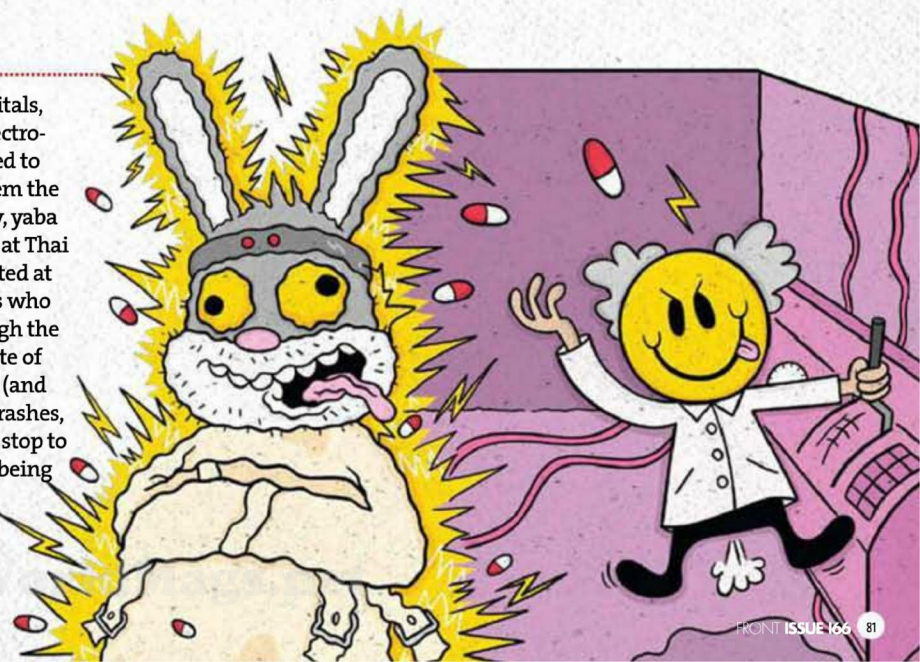
IRAQ ARTANE

A massively potent prescription drug used to treat the shakey-limbed sufferers of Parkinson's disease, Artane has nabbed itself an illegal secondary market amongst Iraqi soldiers and policemen. A little stressed about trying to maintain peace, law and order in one of the most crazy-ass countries on the planet, many Iraqi cops and infantrymen are popping Artane tablets in huge quantities in order to dose up on fear-killing euphoria.

"They believe that Artane allows them to become brave," says one Iraqi doctor. "They take it so there's no anxiety, so they can break down doors and enter houses with no shame." Highly-strung, heavily-armed, completely mullered security forces – what could go wrong, eh?

THAILAND YABA

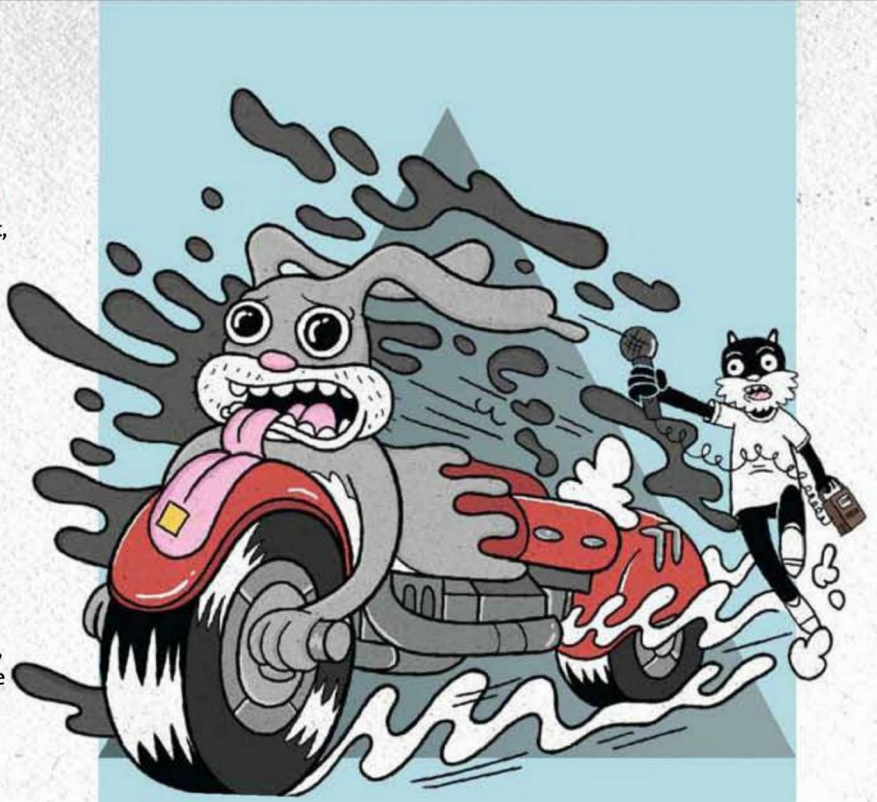
In Thai, 'Yaba' literally means 'crazy medicine', and they are not kiddin'. Basically crystal meth blended with caffeine and then pressed into pill form, yaba has a tendency to send users absolutely fucking mental. First comes an agitated, hyperactive, brain-rotting high that can last for days, followed by an intensely bleak comedown that can only be escaped by scoffing yet more yaba. Every year, hundreds of violently unstable yaba-heads find themselves locked away in one of Thailand's grim psychiatric hospitals, where they receive electro-shock therapy designed to permanently zonk them the fuck out. Unbelievably, yaba used to be sold legally at Thai petrol stations, marketed at long-distance truckers who wanted to drive through the night. Following a spate of spectacularly horrible (and entirely predictable) crashes, the government put a stop to heavy-goods vehicles being driven by mad-eyed, brain-fried nutters.



RUSSIA KROKODIL

With heroin prices sky-rocketing and supply lines drying up, Russia's huge junkie population has come up with an ingenious and thoroughly fucking revolting alternative: krokodil. Way more potent and addictive than heroin, krokodil is produced by combining codeine-laced cold pills, petrol, paint thinner, iodine and red phosphorous (scraped from matchbox striking-pads) via a series of complex chemical reactions. The resulting grimy-ass liquid is then injected, ideally in a bleak concrete basement, with a mangy three-legged dog howling nearby. Aside from its understandably high fatality rate, the main downside of krokodil is that is literally eats addicts alive, first turning their skin all lizardy (hence its name), and eventually causing their dying flesh to slide off in huge grey chunks, leaving gaping holes with bones peeping through. Think we're exaggerating? If you never, ever want to eat again, go to Google Images and type in 'krokodil'...





UNITED STATES ALPHA-O

Pitched midway between the teeth-gritting mania of speed and the everything's-gone-sideways trippiness of LSD, Alpha-O (also known, somewhat less snappily, as 5-MeO-AMT) is steadily gaining a foothold within the U.S rave scene. Visitors to *drugs-forum.com* are reporting a variety of bananas experiences: "Rapidly morphing black-and-white fractal visuals"; "I thought I was a motorbike – my friend was chasing me round and round the living room"; "I was explaining the meaning of life really fast for about two hours, then my friend says I suddenly stopped and started screaming, 'We need to record this!' over and over again". The problem with Alpha-O is that, like Bromo-DragonFLY, as it's usually sold as printed blotter-paper, both users and dealers regularly mistake it for LSD, leading to people dropping multiple doses – comparatively safe when using LSD, potentially lethal when using the far-pokier Alpha-O. There has been at least one confirmed fatality so far – so rave safe, Yankee rave kids!

UNITED KINGDOM PHENAZAPAM

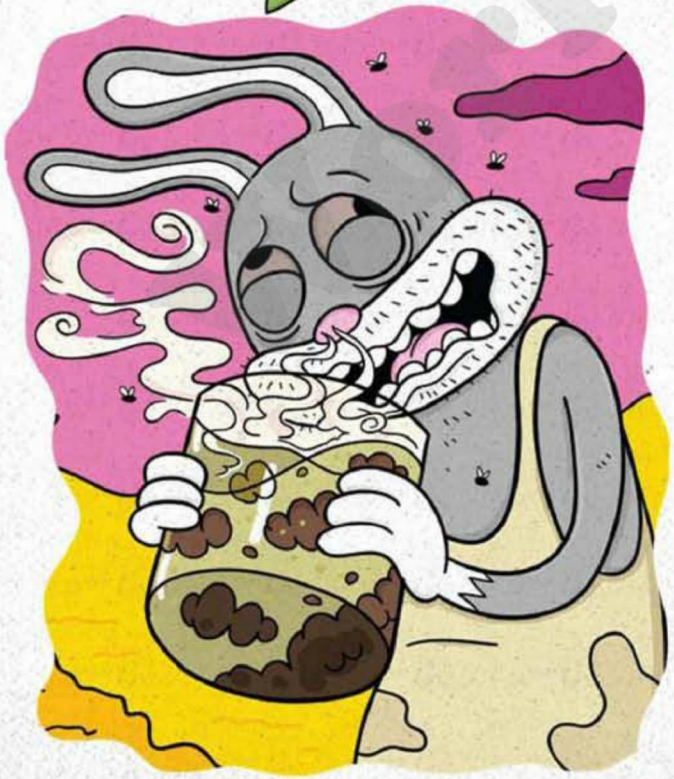
Phenazapam is a heavy-duty Russian epilepsy medicine that's increasingly being abused by British drug-monsters. There have been nine confirmed phenazapam overdoses in the UK over the past 12 months, as a combination of the drug's extreme potency and super-slow kick-in time (three blimmin' hours!) leads to impatient first-time users scoffing back way, waaaay too much of it. Phenazapam is piece-of-piss easy to get hold of, legally, over the interwebz – but before you hit Google search, know this: phenazapam is basically Valium turned up to 11, completely blacking users out for anywhere up to three days, during which they could be doing anything from drooling in a crumpled heap to wandering the streets like a Walking Dead extra. "The first effect is a total black-out," says one regular user. "I literally can't remember a single thing that happened." You can, of course, achieve a very similar effect with 78 cans of cheap continental lager beer. Yum yum.



PERU AYAHUASCA

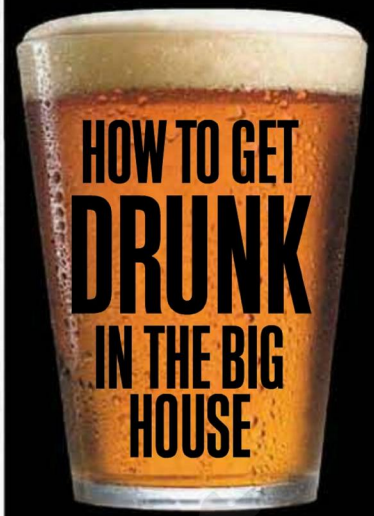
An obscure drug found only in remote parts of the Amazon Rainforest, ayahuasca has enjoyed a huge surge in popularity recently, with 'drug tourists' taking package tours up the Amazon in order to experience some of those sweet Peruvian hallucinations for themselves. Vice, National Geographic and Vanity Fair all recently sent reporters to road-test ayahuasca, while musicians such as Klaxons, Devendra Banhart and, erm, Sting have been publicly singing its praises. A foul-tasting drink brewed from caapi vine and local psychotropic shrubs, it's used in healing and meditation ceremonies by shamans, and boasts effects about as intense and trippy as they come, with users speaking of terrifying, puke-and-diarrhoea-filled trips that drag them to the edge of madness and back. "I swirled down a tunnel of fire," recalls one, "with wailing figures calling out to me in agony, begging me to save them. Others tried to terrorise me: 'You will never leave here,' they said. 'Never. Never.'" Sweet Jesus of Nazareth.





ZAMBIA JENKEM

Right, this one is properly fucking rank. If you're eating something, you'll want to wait till you've finished before reading this. Okay, here goes: Zambian street kids make jenkem by scraping human faeces out of sewer ponds, slopping it into sealed containers, and allowing the turds to ferment for a few days. The resulting toxic poop fumes are inhaled for a very woozy, very whiffy high that lasts about an hour. Bleeeee. Hilariously, in 2007, outraged stories appeared across U.S news networks, claiming that jenkem abuse was sweeping through American schools. The story was, obviously, a load of shit (LOL etc), having been pulled together from half-arsed internet research and some unreliable anecdotal evidence along the lines of, "Oh yeah, my mate's cousin's brother does jenkem all the time – he's totes addicted".



HOW TO GET DRUNK IN THE BIG HOUSE

1 GO TO PRISON

So, you've been fingered by the long arm of John Law, and you're looking at spending the next few years behind bars you can't order drinks over. You want, and deserve, a drink, but they won't give you one.

2 GATHER SOME SHIT

Using some reasonably available ingredients, you can make your own homemade prison wine, also known as pruno. Gather this together:

- Ten oranges
- About 50 sugar cubes or sachets
- A pint of water
- Six or so ketchup sachets
- A large tin of mixed fruit cocktail (the shit they put in trifles and stuff)
- A big plastic bag, ideally sealable
- A sock

3 SMASH SMASH SMASH

Peel the oranges and chuck them in the bag along with the tin of fruit, and smash it all up inside the bag with your fists. Chuck a pint of water in there and all, as hot as you can.

4 BRING THE HEAT

Run the bag under a hot tap for fifteen minutes or so to really get it nice and warm. Wrap it in a towel and place it somewhere as warm as possible for 48 hours.

5 MAKE IT SWEET

The bag'll be starting to inflate itself – open it and put the sugar and ketchup in. Swill it about, then run it under the tap again for a full half-hour. Bundle it up and hide it somewhere warm again, for three days this time, checking it periodically to let gas out of the bag and reheating it at the same time.

6 SIEVE THE FUCKER

By this point it will look and smell like vomit. Spoon it into the sock to filter out the chunks of rotting fruit and let only the liquid run through. Hey presto, you'll have about two pints of pretty vile prison wine. You disgusting bastard.

HANNAH LUCY

IT'S THE TEAM-UP NO ONE SAW COMING AND LIKE A LADY-BASED EQUIVALENT OF PEANUT BUTTER AND JELLY, IT'S TURNED OUT TO BE A WORLD-CHANGING COMBINATION...

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Q&A LUCY

LUCY, YOU FLAME-HAIRED BEAUTY. WE'RE NO DETECTIVES, BUT WE THINK YOU MIGHT DYE YOUR HAIR. WHAT COLOUR IS IT NATURALLY?
It's a kind of mousy brown. I've been a few different colours, like I was blonde for a while, but I've had red hair for ages now. It's just what I look like now. I got really pissed off when Rihanna and Cheryl Cole dyed theirs red and then everyone else started doing it – I did it first!

SPRING IS NEARLY UPON US, SORT OF. ARE YOU A WINTER PERSON OR SUMMER PERSON?
I'm so chuffed to see the back of winter. I can't wait to not have to be bundled under loads of layers and blankets all the time, and wearing too many clothes. I'm a hang out naked kind of girl.

YOU'RE GETTING NEAR 5,000 FOLLOWERS ON TWITTER – DO ANY FAMOUS PEOPLE FOLLOW YOU?
Frankie Cocozza started following me the other day, what an arse. What an arse! He said I was wife material.

HE'LL PROBABLY TURN UP AT YOUR HOUSE, THE CREEPY BASTARD.
When he started following me about 500 more did too, like all these girls that are madly in love with him. It's weird.

YOUR HAIR'S SO RECOGNISABLE THAT YOU COULD PROBABLY ONLY ESCAPE HIM BY SHAVING IT OFF.
I could, but then people would probably find out and I'd be screwed ☞

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anyway and I'd miss my hair. I love my hair.

LAST TIME WE SPOKE TO YOU YOU SAID YOU WANTED TO DO A NAKED SKYDIVE. IS THAT GETTING ANY NEARER?

I've still never been, but I really want to. I'd do it for a charity or something, where I could do normal jumps first. The first few times you jump you have to be strapped to some guy. But I'd really like to try it anyway, especially in the nuddy, it'd be well good fun. My boobs would probably end up in my mouth or something, though.

QUICK FIRE

LUCY

ARIEL FROM THE LITTLE MERMAID OR JESSICA RABBIT?
Jessica, cos Roger Rabbit's funny, and Ariel has no vagina.

LIVING IN A BUBBLE ON THE MOON OR ON THE SEA BED?
The bottom of the sea – you could see what was really down there. I have a magical torch.

LAGER OR CIDER?
Cider. I like Brothers.

KERRY KING OR KERRY KATONA?
Kerry King. Kerry Katona's a twat.

SAUSAGES OR BACON?
Both together. Pork overload. Pigs in blankets.

DOG FOOD OR CAT FOOD?
Cat food. They're sometimes shaped like fish.

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PHWERRRR. YOU WERE ALSO ENJOYING SHOUTING "VULVATRON" A LOT...
Oh God, yeah. Last time I saw Lauren Fernandez it all kicked off again, I love the Vulvatron. It's pretty much pointing at your crotch, thrusting like a steam train and shouting, "Vulvatron!". I can see it becoming a craze after we go to Download.

THIS MAGAZINE'S COMING OUT A FEW WEEKS BEFORE MOTHERS' DAY. DO YOU, BY ANY CHANCE, HAVE A FIT MUM?
Yes, my mum is fit. She's well hot! She's got black hair, double-Ds, and she always dresses really girly – even in wintertime you'll never catch her in a pair of jeans. She's a glamorous mum.

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Q&A HANNAH

HANNAH, THERE'S SOMETHING A BIT DIFFERENT ABOUT YOU. DID YOU HAVE A BEARD OR SOMETHING BEFORE? OH NO, WAIT, YOU'VE DYED YOUR HAIR RED.

It was just really random. I went to the hairdresser and wanted something different, and saw red and was like, "Yeah, let's do it!".

HOW DID PEOPLE REACT?

People have really liked it. A couple of my friends are calling me Ginge, but it's not ginger – it's bright red. I'll keep having it as long as people don't keep asking me, "Does the carpet match the curtains?"

ARE THERE CLOTHES IN YOUR WARDROBE THAT YOU CAN'T WEAR NOW BECAUSE YOU CLASH?

Yeah, I'd just bought a purple shirt and I can't wear it because it looks really stupid with my hair. A lot of things look different – blonde was cuter, where red is a bit more fiery.

YOU'RE ON TWITTER, AND SEEM TO HAVE NO FILTER. HAVE YOU GOT IN ANY TROUBLE WITH THE MADNESS YOU PUT UP?

All the time. I swear all the time and slag off old people, children and animals, so everyone hates me. I just post sick jokes really. Just horrible things. I keep taking the piss out of celebrities, and people take it seriously and tell me I'm too harsh.

WHAT'S THE BEST THING YOU'VE LEARNED ABOUT LUCY ON THE SHOOT TODAY?

She kept licking me like a cat, nuzzling her head on my shoulder and purring.

WHEN YOU'RE NOT MODELING, YOU'RE GETTING RICH BEING A WORLD-TRAVELLING DJ, RIGHT?

Haha, yeah, like I'm a billionaire. That's why I lie in bed in my onesie ☞



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eating crumpets. I don't have to do anything. I've got a slave to do it all for me.

WHAT DO YOU SPEND YOUR BILLIONS ON?

Mostly I spend it on shoes and pants. My carpet is covered in shoes and pants. And a shisha pipe.

GOT ANY COOL GIGS PLANNED AT THE MOMENT?

I think we're [Hannah and Mel Clarke] going to Rome to DJ, so that should be really cool, and I think we might be going back to Download in the summer.

WHAT'S BEEN THE WEIRDEST GIG YOU GUYS HAVE DONE TOGETHER?

When we went to Germany, in the hotel the bed was a cage you had to climb into via a ladder. We were scared to sleep in it but we had to because it was freezing cold.

HAVE YOU EVER GOT SUPER LOST?

Oh yeah, we went to Doncaster. We were looking for a Nando's and got lost. We had to call a taxi, and the woman had a go at us because I tried to plug my phone in the charger in there. **FRONT**

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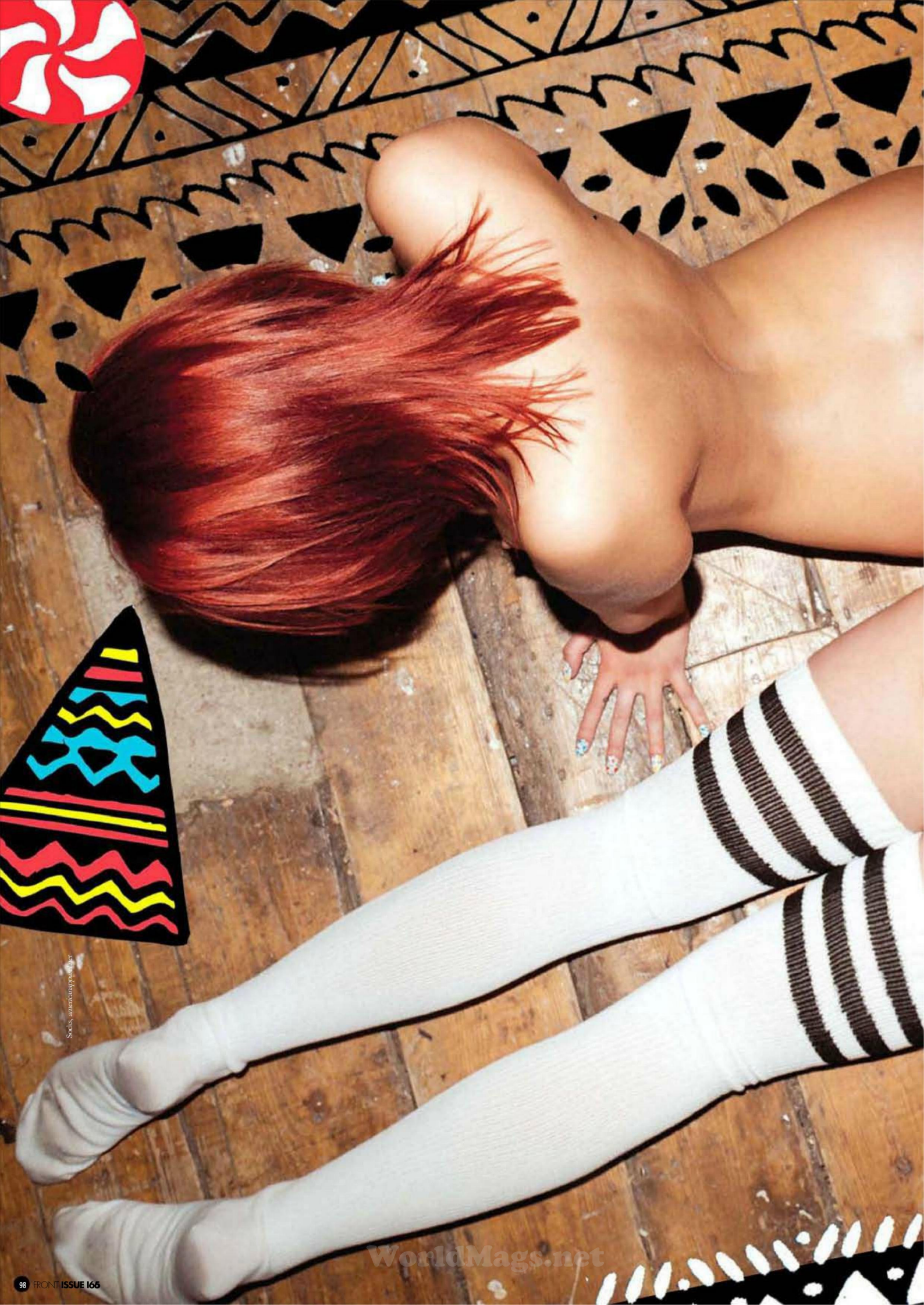


QUICK FIRE

HANNAH

GIN OR VODKA?
Vodka. When I drink gin I become the girl from The Exorcist.
RED CUPS OR GOLDEN GOBLETS?
Red cups.
KFC OR NANDO'S?
Nando's. Medium sauce – I'm too cool for lemon and herb but I can't handle the hot one.
INSIDE-OUT OR BACK-TO-FRONT?
Back-to-front. Inside out sounds a bit disgusting. I'd have my guts hanging out all over me. I'd get no modelling work.
MEAT OR VEG?
Meat. When I eat steak I get ridiculously horny.

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HOW TO BE SLAYER

ONCE UPON A TIME, THERE WAS A BAND CALLED SLAYER. THEY WERE AWESOME. STILL ARE. THEIR ALBUM ***REIGN IN BLOOD*** *IS A STONE-COLD CLASSIC AND THEY'RE COMING TO OUR SHORES TO PLAY IT THROUGH IN MAY. SO WITH THE HELP OF FRONTMAN TOM ARAYA, WE TAKE A LOOK AT WHAT MAKES SLAYER WHAT THEY ARE…*

ILLUSTRATIONS: IAN McARTHUR

STAY BUDS EVEN WHEN ANGRY

Apart from when Dave Lombardo left for a decade or so, the lineup of Slayer has remained pretty constant, with Tom Araya, Kerry King and Jeff Hanneman as the players. "We've never had a falling out," says Tom, "which isn't to say we haven't yelled at each other. We just all realised a long time ago that what we have as a band is pretty great, and nobody wants to lose that".

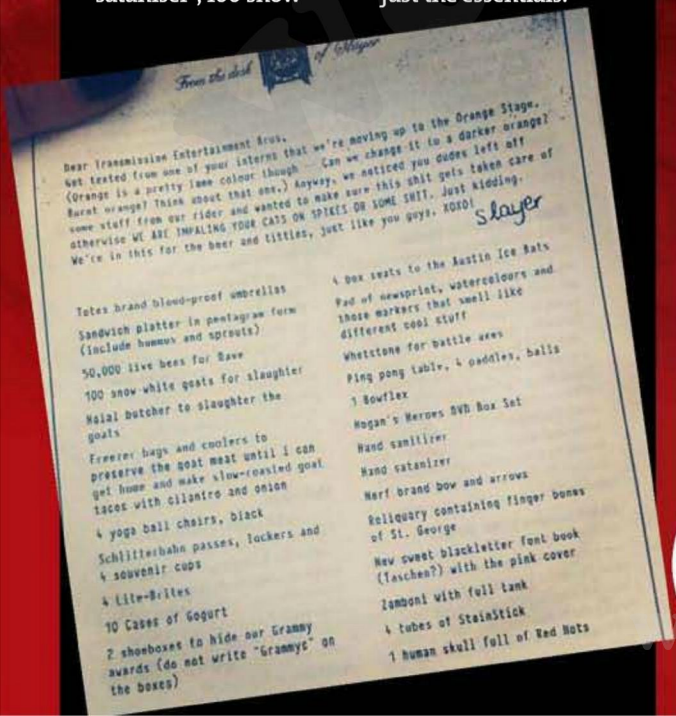
IF YOU'RE GONNA GET ILL, GET METAL ILL

In 2011, guitarist Jeff Hanneman took shredding to a new, literal level when he contracted the flesh-eating disease, necrotizing fasciitis. He had to pull out of a tour, but by six months later, the flesh-eating bacteria was vanquished, and Jeff was playing again. As a comparison, in 2010 U2 cancelled their headlining appearance at Glastonbury because Bono had a sore leg.

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HAVE FUN WITH YOUR RIDER

Slayer's rider for an appearance at a Texas festival last year included "hand sanitiser" being followed by "hand sataniser", 100 snow-white goats complete with a Halal butcher to slaughter them, and a whetstone to sharpen their battleaxes on. So just the essentials.



From the desk of Slayer

Dear Transmission Entertainment Bros,
Get tested from one of your interns that we're moving up to the Orange Stage. (Orange is a pretty lame colour though. Can we change it to a darker orange? Burnt orange? Think about that one.) Anyway, we noticed you dudes left off some stuff from our rider and wanted to make sure this shit gets taken care of otherwise WE ARE IMPALING YOUR CATS ON SPIKES OR SOME SHIT. Just kidding. We're in this for the beer and titties, just like you guys. XOXO!

Slayer

Totes brand blood-proof umbrellas
Sandwich platter in pentagram form (include hummus and sprouts)
50,000 live bees for Dave
100 snow white goats for slaughter
Halal butcher to slaughter the goats
Freezer bags and coolers to preserve the goat meat until I can get home and make slow-cooked goat tacos with cilantro and onion
4 yoga ball chairs, black
Schlitterbahn passes, lockers and 4 souvenir cups
4 Lite-Bellies
10 Cases of Gogurt
2 shoeboxes to hide our Grammy awards (do not write "Grammys" on the boxes)
4 box seats to the Austin Ice Bats
Pad of newsprint, watercolours and those markers that smell like different cool stuff
Whetstone for battle axes
Ping pong table, 4 paddles, balls
1 Bowflex
Hogan's Heroes DVD Box Set
Hand sanitizer
Hand satanizer
Nerf brand bow and arrows
Reliquary containing finger bones of St. George
New sweet blackletter font book (Taschen?) with the pink cover
Zamboni with full tank
4 tubes of StainStick
1 human skull full of Red Hots

WHEN IT COMES TO UPSETTING PEOPLE, REFUSE TO LEARN YOUR LESSON

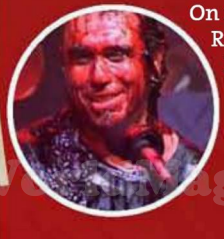
Reign In Blood contains the track Angel Of Death, about Josef Mengele, the vicious Nazi fuck who performed grisly experiments upon concentration camp prisoners (including sewing twins together to try and form conjoined twins). There was considerable controversy around it, with allegations of Nazi sympathizing sticking with them even to now. Jump forward to 2006's release Christ Illusion and there's a track called Jihad, about September 11th attacker Mohammed Atta. Oh, Slayer. Will you never learn?

IF YOU'RE GETTING A TATTOO, REALLY GET A TATTOO

Kerry King is potentially the only man in the world whose back of the head is more recognisable than his face. This is because the back of his skull contains, in addition to a Slayer eagle, a massive scary-ass demon's face. When he had his left sleeve done, he told his tattooist, "when people see the outside I want them to fucking cry". Also of note: King's wife has 'cunt' tattooed on the inside of her lip, so she can tell people, "I can lick my own cunt".



CLOSE A FUCKIN' SHOW IN STYLE



On many occasions, Slayer have finished a gig by playing Raining Blood while showering fake blood everywhere. It's not the best playing environment – the live DVD they recorded featuring it had to have the drum sound re-dubbed cos, according to the audio engineer, "they sounded like coffee mugs being tapped with a spoon".



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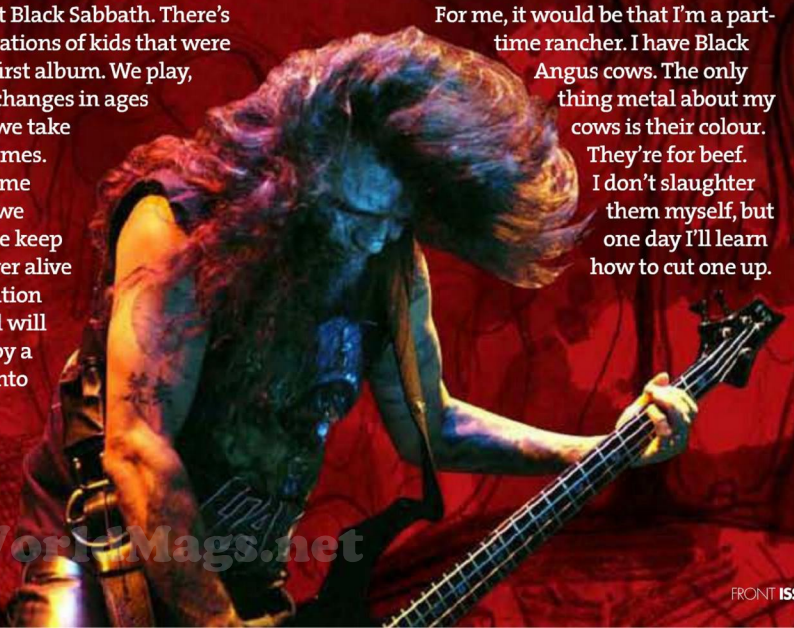
TOM ARAYA

(VOCALS, BASS, LONG BEARD)

TOM! HOW'S THINGS?
I'm a little under the weather. I'm sick, so I might sound a little nasally.
WELL, LET'S NOT DWELL ON YOUR SNOT. YOU'RE HEADING TO THE UK TO PLAY ALL TOMORROW'S PARTIES AT ALEXANDRA PALACE WHICH WILL BE AMAZING...
Yeah, it has like three different names from what I figure – All Tomorrow's Parties and I'll Be Your Mirror, so it's very confusing. But no matter what name it's under, it's a festival, so it'll be like going on a holiday that Slayer are at. Have a three-day weekend, come hang out, have a barbecue and a few pints.
YOU'RE PLAYING THROUGH REIGN IN BLOOD IN ITS ENTIRETY. IS IT STILL TEN SONGS?
It becomes one big long song with minor intermissions. But that's always what our sets are like. I don't really communicate much – we like to keep the momentum going.
RE-LISTENING TO REIGN IN BLOOD, ARE THERE ANY BITS YOU'D DO DIFFERENTLY NOW?
No way! Albums capture a moment in time. I think going back and re-recording doesn't serve a purpose.
WHAT IS IT ABOUT THAT ALBUM THAT PEOPLE STILL DIG?
I don't know – I thought the albums before that were really great albums too. Maybe it's just the fact that it was clean. It was a crisp, clear record. We cleaned up the Slayer sound that we were developing and evolving into. Rick Rubin came in and said, "You don't need this, you don't need that. Let's just clean this up, take the reverb away and present Slayer the way it should be heard". You've got to look at what else was coming out at the time. Death metal was growing and becoming popular with a lot of kids. Then all of a sudden, we came out with that and people were like, '"Whoa!". It was like a knock on the head.
DID YOU THINK AT THE TIME WHILE MAKING IT, "ALRIGHT, THIS IS ABOVE AND BEYOND"?
At first it was just another Slayer record. We only knew there was something different about it when we realised how short it was. We were concerned as to whether the label would allow it to be called an album since it was under half an hour. They wanted 45 minutes.

"ONE DAY I'LL LEARN HOW TO SLAUGHTER A COW"

A LOT OF PEOPLE HAVE GROWN UP IN A WORLD THAT HAS ALWAYS HAD SLAYER. IS THAT WEIRD?
Shit. I don't even know how to answer that. Think about Black Sabbath. There's two whole generations of kids that were born after their first album. We play, and you see the changes in ages in the faces, but we take every day as it comes. The passage of time isn't something we ponder on. People keep the music of Slayer alive – another generation will grow up and will be exposed to it by a fan and pass it onto them and so on. It's a merry- go-round. It's never going to end.
WHERE CAN YOU GO FROM HERE?
All we can do is keep coming up with Slayer-worthy material. We're all fans of our own music, we know what Slayer should sound like.
WHAT'S YOUR LEAST METAL HABIT?
For me, it would be that I'm a part-time rancher. I have Black Angus cows. The only thing metal about my cows is their colour. They're for beef. I don't slaughter them myself, but one day I'll learn how to cut one up.



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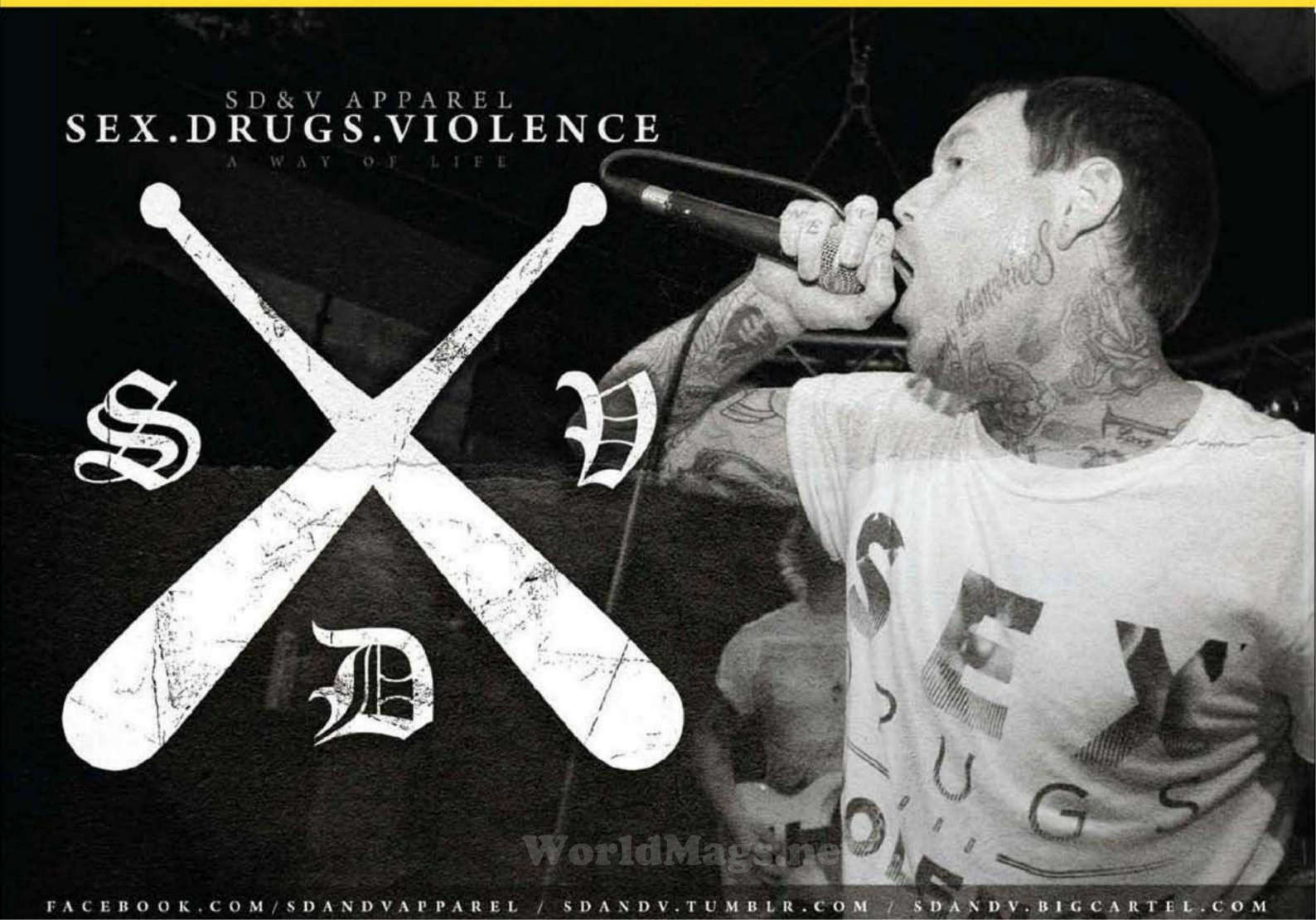
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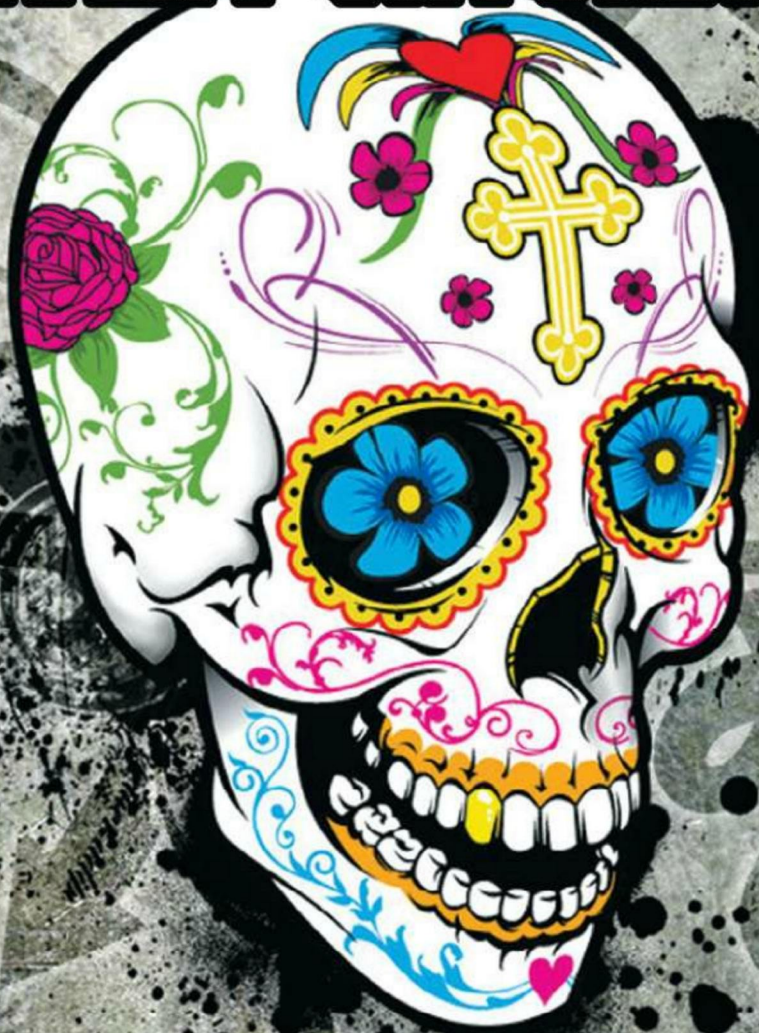
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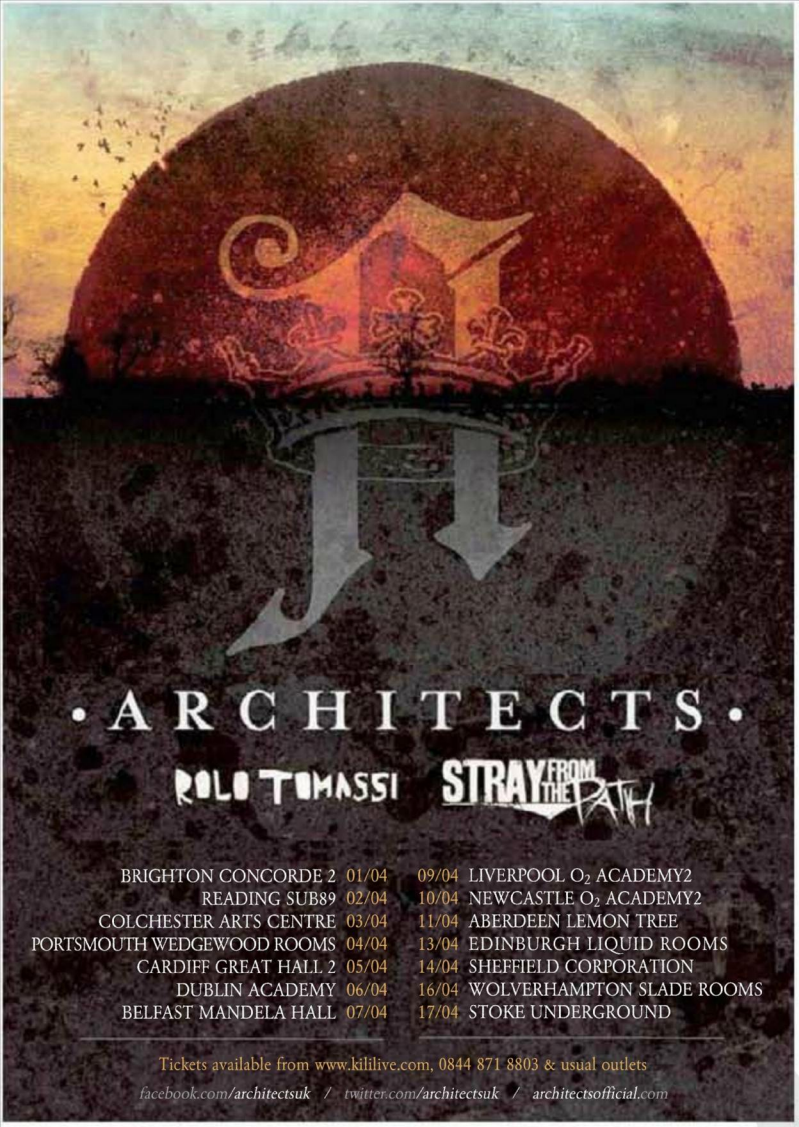


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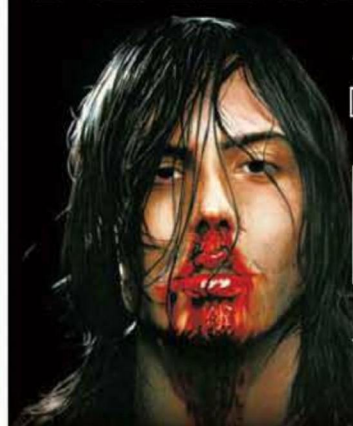
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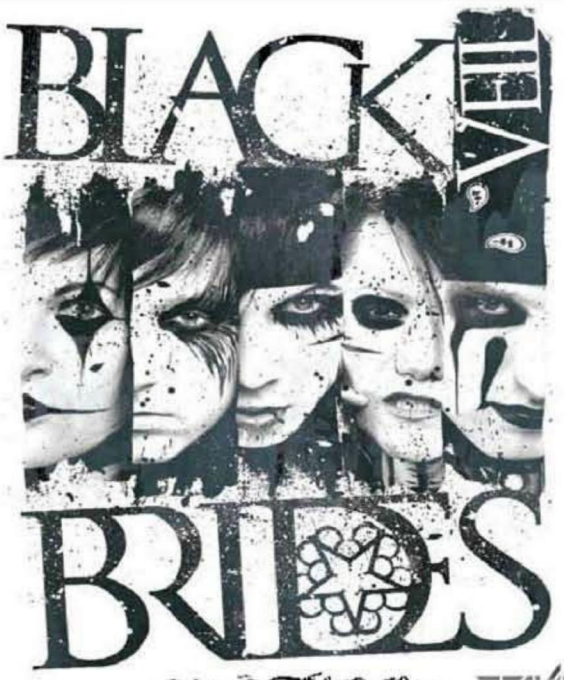
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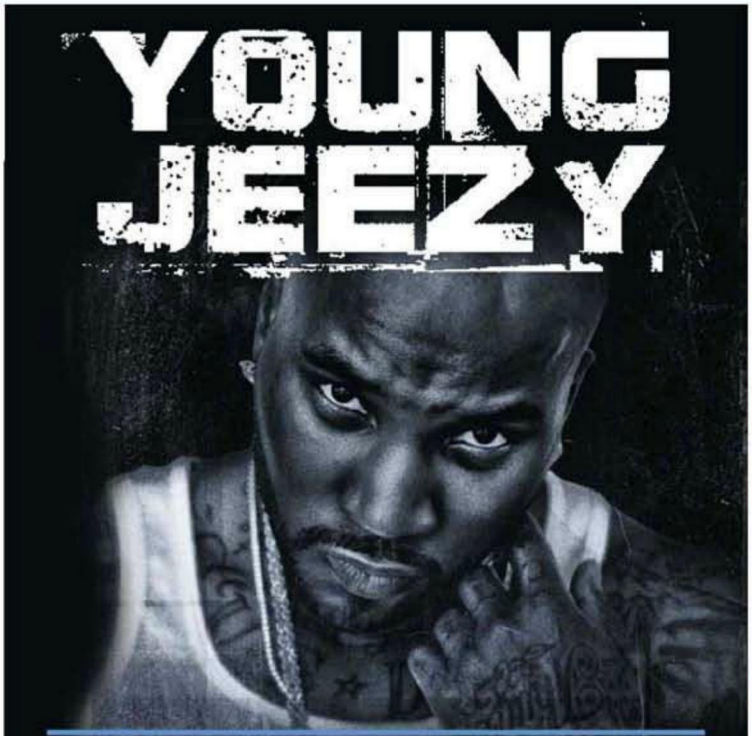
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INDEPENDENT

Aloha Shirts £TBA, *independenttrucks.com*

Remember the film about a dude who loves animals, drives around with his fuckin' cone out the window, and does the deed with Monica from Friends? Yeah, that's right, Eternal Sunshine Of The Spotless Mind. Well, we all know his shirts were so rad that everyone was like, "Nah man, they're shit" cos they didn't have the balls to don one. But it's time to man the fuck up boys and girls, cos the bastards are back and better than ever. These garish-as-anything amazing short-sleeved shirts are from killer truck company Independent and when worn, make you feel like it's summer 24-goddamn-7, even when He's pissing on you down from the heavens above.

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The Aloha shirt is commonly known as the Hawaiian shirt, but they're really called Aloha shirts you see.

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F.Y.I

The trippiest way to get the swirls on your tie-dye is with elastic bands, though to make sure you get proper swirls use string. It holds it better you see, fool.

ALTAMONT STODDARD

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One thing that Altamont is immensely good at is the tie-dye shirt. The Stoddard is new for s/s'12 and makes you feel like you're tripping balls.



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HELLO LOZ AND MAT FROM WHILE SHE SLEEPS. WE'VE GONE A BIT TRIPPY WITH YOUR SHOOT TODAY. WHAT WAS THE LAST THING THAT BLEW YOUR MIND?
Mat: Uh, I met Tay Zonday in a Costa Coffee last week. Y'know, the guy that sang Chocolate Rain?
GET THE FUCK OUT OF HERE.
M: Nah, that never happened. I did see this video called The Third Letter, though. It's proper mad. It's this trippy film about the future where people can only breathe through gasmasks and stuff. It's super fucked up, but really cool.
Loz: Damn, mine is that I saw Robert Webb in Tenerife the other week. It didn't blow my mind much really, but you don't see many celebrities at home in Sheffield.

ER, YEAH, THAT'S NOT SO GOOD. WHEN WAS YOUR LAST HEAD-FUCKING NIGHT OUT?
M: Shit man, we had a huge party back in January, and we were fucked. I drank two bottles of champagne, ten beers and ended up falling down the stairs. It was in my party barn, which we've recently banged a mini ramp into. That was dangerous that night.
A WHOLE BARN, FOR PARTYING, DRINKING AND SKATING?
M: Yeah, that night I skated way past my drunk. I kept bailing and couldn't feel anything, so the next day I felt like shit.
L: That was probably the last time I had a seriously hardcore night. It was too big. We were wrestling people with fireworks at one point. That was a bit stupid.
HAS ANYONE DONE THE MINI RAMP ANY JUSTICE YET?
M: Yeah, some kid from my town did a switch blunt to tre out. He just came down, had a little go and then busted that out.
WE DUNNO IF ANYONE'S TOLD YOU, BUT WE'RE DOING A FRONT VS WSS PARTY IN YOUR BARN. WE'LL BE BRINGING GIN MADE FROM THE EYES OF SUPERNANNY. WHAT'LL YOU BE BANGING OUT TO MAKE IT INSANE?
M: What? Is that seriously happening? Let's do it!

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ER, NAH, WE MADE THAT UP.

M: Fuck it, let's make it happen. We'll make a bowl of punch with our own blood in it. Sleep's Blood Cocktail, we'll call it.

L: And a jacuzzi filled with, er, water. We'll just go with a water jacuzzi.

M: Fuck yes, a jacuzzi, then a bar, a balcony and then a plasma screen just there to smash the fuck out of.

TALKING OF SMASHING PLACES UP, LAST TIME WE SPOKE, YOU SAID YOUR AIM FOR YOUR HEADLINE TOUR WAS TO "GET VENUES SHUT DOWN" – THAT HAPPEN?

M: Er, kinda. The venue we played in Liverpool is closed down now. I think we were the last show, too.

L: The sound guy was a dick. It took him like two hours to mic up our drum kit, and then halfway through our set he cut the sound. We got half the crowd on stage and got them to smash the place up.

M: We were pretty sure we weren't gonna get paid for that gig, but they coughed up, apologised, and sacked that guy. It was hilarious.

HAS THERE EVER BEEN A CROWD THAT'S GONE SO HARD YOU'VE THOUGHT, "HOLY SHIT, PEOPLE AREN'T GETTING OUT OF HERE WITH ALL THEIR LIMBS"?

L: It wasn't at our show, but the maddest shit I've ever seen in a crowd happened when we watched Sick Of It All at Sonisphere. Some dude was pissing into another dude's mouth.

WE'RE CALLING BULLSHIT ON THAT. NO WAY THAT HAPPENED.

M: One hundred per cent, swear on my life. It ruined Sick Of It All for me.

OH GOOD. SO, THE NEW ALBUM, WHICH DROPS IN THE SPRING – A FEW ISSUES BACK WE CALLED IT ONE OF THE TOP ALBUMS TO BE LOOKING OUT FOR THIS YEAR. WHAT'S UP YOUR SLEEVE TO BACK US UP?

M: We've got a fucking massive record that'll kick your face in. There's no bullshit. It's heavy, it's melodic, it's punk, it's fucking hardcore.

L: We took the boundaries off and just did what we wanted to do.

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IS THE ENERGY ON THE ALBUM GOING TO MATCH THAT OF YOUR LIVE STUFF? LOZ, YOU'RE ONE FOR CLIMBING UP CRAZY HIGH STUFF AND LEAPING FROM IT...

L: We definitely wrote the album with that in mind. We've not been afraid to leave bits where you can just have your moment of going fucking mad and enjoying it.

HAS THERE EVER BEEN ANY MOMENTS WHERE YOU, MAT, HAVE SEEN LOZ CLIMBING UP STUFF AND THOUGHT HE WASN'T GONNA MAKE IT BACK DOWN AGAIN?

M: I didn't like it at Sonisphere. Loz climbed up this 40ft scaffolding and I just thought to myself, "Oh, for fuck's sake". I'm never going to tell him to stop doing that, though. I climbed up a speaker stack at Slam Dunk or somewhere like that and got to the top only to instantly think, 'Shit, why the fuck did I go and do this, I've gotta jump off now". I made it, but Sean [guitar] just mouthed, "SHIT" at me. That was pretty horrible.

AND FINALLY, WHAT'S THE WORST THING WHILE SHE SLEEPS HAS DONE TO SOMEONE WHILE THEY SLEEP? SEE WHAT WE DID THERE...

M: We painted Arran [bass] silver and green. We'd spun him round on a chair for ages, and when he stopped he passed out on the floor, so we painted him. Obviously. FRONT

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LIBRARY OF RADNESS

I've been collecting graphic novels since before I was ten, but started seriously in my 20s. It's my obsession in life. I think there's around 4,000 comics with no single editions that I've only collected because I'm too OCD not to. I have rare ones, but my most prized ones aren't super hard to find. There's a book called The Invisibles that was pretty life-changing for me, and my X-Men hardback omnibus went out of print, so I'm glad I have that.

STALE SANDWICHES

I guess lunchboxes are more typical things to collect, but my mom and I used to find these at garage sales, so I like having them around. I could do with more superhero ones. An old Captain America one would be nice.

DRESS TO IMPRESS

Beyond the stuff my wife finds, she puts together these weird little design touches around the house that she crafts herself, too. My parents' house is totally design and LA-looking and it's always super clean, and that's awesome, but I really like the fact my wife has the kooky zaniness that suits my fractured mind.

DOLL-FAN

Again, these are my wife's. There're a lot, there must be 30 or 40 Blythe Dolls in the house. They're originally from the 1970s – they stopped making them for a while but recently started up again. They're collectables with weird outfits. My wife was into them before they got big in the fashion world and all that nonsense.

COMIC FAN-ATIX

This is by Mike Allred. I found it on sale when it wasn't hideously expensive, and I'm a big fan of X-Statix, so it was a good find. It's an expensive habit so I try not to dip my toe in the pool too often. We have an awesome collection.

CASH IN THE ATTIC

Johnny Cash is an inspiration to me because of how he lived and his dark sentiment, which is something I can relate to. The guitar was given to me by a guy at a show. His Grandpa was a curator at Sun Studios – he gave Johnny's guitar to him, and he gave it to me.

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WHO HE?

NAME: Maxim Adam Bemis
AGE: 27
JOB: Say Anything frontman
CHECK OUT: Say Anything's new album Anarchy, My Dear, out 13 March.

TONGUE-TIED

Two Tongues is a side-project of mine. My wife drew the cover to this record, and has a bunch of art lying round our house. She's an amazing artist. Her style is very dark and whimsical, dark fairytales that are really detailed and black and white. I guess a mix of Tim Burton and Mark Ryden.

OLDIE BUT A GOODIE

My wife collects a bunch of cool antiques. We have tons of cute weird stuff like this in the house. We live in a real kooky southern estate. The weirdest thing she found is a lamp that's a baby doll with no hair. It's freaky. Sometimes when I come downstairs at night to grab a snack it scares me a little.

VINYL GIFTS

I'm not a big vinyl guy but when we signed to Equal Vision Records they knew I was a die-hard Saves The Day fan, so they gave me this test pressing for the album Through Being Cool. I don't think there's that many of these. I want Chris to sign it, but it's kinda odd seeing as he's a good friend of mine. He'll think I wanna put it on eBay.

SNAPES ALIVE!

I'm obviously a big fan of the Harry Potter books and films. This is one of four pieces we have. There was a Harry Potter-themed exhibit in LA and my wife and I had to buy a few of the pieces. Ron's my favourite character, just because of how flawed he his. This Dumbledore one is the piece I like best, but we also have a McGonagall that's pretty cool, too.

AT HOME WITH

SAY ANYTHING

MAX BEMIS

THE INDIE-PUNK SUPREMO AND COMIC BOOK OBSESSIVE SHOWS US ROUND HIS KOOKY TEXAS GAFF...

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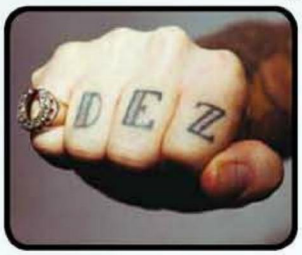
DEZ FAFARA

THE INKY-FACED DEATH METALLER ON WHY FRED DURST INKED 'PEANUT' INTO HIS NECK AND HOW OZZY MADE HIM GET HIS KNUCKLES DONE...

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IF OZZY TOLD YOU TO JUMP OFF A CLIFF...

When I was managed by Sharon and Ozzy Osbourne, I always liked the fact Ozzy had his name done on his knuckles. One day I was just like, "Okay, that's not fair, I gotta do that too!". If I hadn't got my name, I'd probably have gone for 'Hard Luck'. I like that idea.





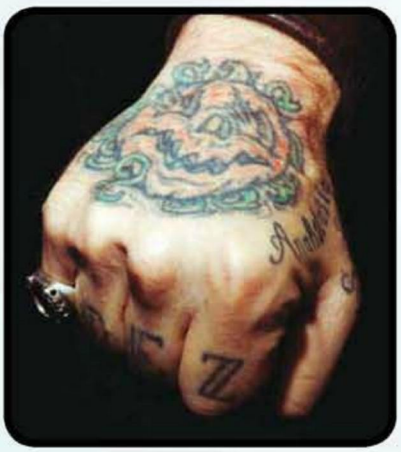
FOUR BARS FOR FOUR YEARS

This really needs going over. It only got it done a few months back but it's really hard to heal right there. Whenever I see anyone else with it I'll try and catch them out and see what their favourite Black Flag tune is. I like The First Four Years. Punk led my youth, but now I listen to everything. I'm no purist.

ANY FOAL'S A GOAL

I want more line work and colour to bring this out. I've always wanted real horses but don't think I'll ever get them. I don't have a ranch and I'm not home enough to look after them, so these guys will do.





REMEMBER SIXTY SIX

This is representative of my birth year, and I stuck the stars and stripes in there so everyone knows I'm American. I had it done at Ozzfest by Paul Booth an hour before our set. It definitely got the endorphins going, especially seeing as Paul has such a heavy hand. He really goes deep with the machine.

RIGHT BACK HOME

I had my wife's name, Anastasia, and So Cal, where I'm from, tattooed on the same hand so that every time I see them, I'm reminded of home. And the pumpkin? I just fucking love Halloween.

POLISH BLOOD

I recently found out I have a bit of Polish blood in me. My lights and merch guys are Polish, so when my mom told me one day, I said, "That's it, we're all getting a tattoo". The Reverend Mike did them for us while we all had a few beers.



CHAMBER POTTY

I had this done before my old band Coal Chamber even got a record deal. We were selling out shows in LA and I knew that this was it, and that our band was going to do well. There was no turning back after that.

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DRY ROAST OR SALTED

Peanut is my mom's nickname for me. I was a premature baby so was really small and spent three or four months in an incubator. Fred Durst actually did this for me at Ozzfest again. He was tattooing a bunch of people, so I just said, "Let's go".

JAW-DROPPING

This was the tattoo I got done to make sure I never go back to normal life, and to stay an artist. I wanted something to set me apart, so I designed this myself. It started as a tiny outline in 1997 and over time, developed and got bigger. I don't think I'll get more done to my face but at the end of the day, who know what I'll do next?



MAY-AN GO GET THIS COVERED

My first tattoo was on my left arm, which I got when I was 15. I was in a psychobilly band called The Screaming Wolves. We all had a wolf tattooed on us with our band name underneath. I've covered that up now with this Mayan head. My wife has Mayan heritage and I find their belief system really bad-ass. Oh, and the film Apocalypto is pretty cool, too.

WHO HE?

NAME: Bradley James 'Dez' Fafara
AGE: 45
JOB: DevilDriver frontman
CHECK OUT: *devildriver.com*

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READERS' INK

THIS MONTH'S PICK OF YOUR INKY FLESH





NAME: Marton
AGE: 28
WHO DUNNIT: Mäx at Tattoos To The Max, Bad Ischl in Austria
HOW LONG: 3 hours



NAME: Dane Burton
AGE: 23
COST: Enough!
WHO DUNNIT: Jo Harrison at State Of The Art in Derby





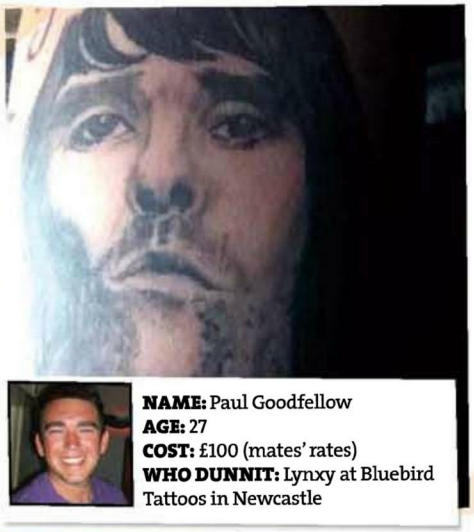


NAME: Rich Marsh
AGE: 23
COST: £150
WHO DUNNIT: Rich Hadley at One Shot Charlie's in Stourbridge





NAME: Terence Monaghan
AGE: 22
WHO DUNNIT: Sonny Mitchell at Black Lotus in Liverpool
HOW LONG: 5 hours



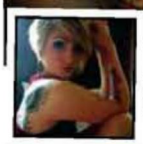
NAME: Paul Goodfellow
AGE: 27
COST: £100 (mates' rates)
WHO DUNNIT: Lynxy at Bluebird Tattoos in Newcastle



NAME: Stevie Finch
AGE: 21
COST: £180
WHO DUNNIT: Chic at Seven Sins in Surrey







NAME: Amy-Jo Heath
AGE: 19
COST: £800
WHO DUNNIT: Phil Kyle



NAME: Danielle Sheehan
AGE: 21
COST: £120
WHO DUNNIT: Mike at Indigo in Norwich

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THROUGH THE BUMHOLE

Sometimes when I have an itchy bumhole I use my front door key to scratch it. Now I've started sticking my key up my bum even when it isn't itchy. Is this weird?

■ *Rick, London*

Nah not weird at all, sticking inanimate objects into my anus gets me through most of my days. Sometimes I see how many small items I can get in there and keep in there throughout the day. Try it out but avoid cacti and kittens.



THE MAN INSIDE ME

I had a strange dream in which my groin area went up inside me, and I liked that sensation. Does this mean I'm actually a woman?

■ *Julian, Warwick*

No but it does def mean that the likelihood is that someone has night-bummed you and you rather enjoyed it and you're now a full gay.



SEXY DECORATION

It's recently occurred to me that my special willy glue is an incredibly useful and cheap type of wallpaper paste. It's taken me at least four years to paper my walls, but hell, I must have saved about 20 quid. People comment on the smell of my house, but I'm cool with that. Should I start my own DIY business?

■ *Grahame, South Shields*

You most definitely do not sound like a creepy serial killer murderer type, but the type of innovative young scally I live to find. Better than a DIY business, you should bring out a book and maybe even a DVD series of ways to make better use of jizz. Read Cooking With Semen for inspiration.



EGG TIMER

Do you know what the optimum time to have a wank is if you're going to have sex later in the day? Like, the perfect regeneration period so you last a decent length of time doing the sex, but you don't do an embarrassing tiny amount of sperm like a sparrow or something.

■ *Joey, Kent*

The longer the better. Get it out your system first thing in the morning or last thing at night if you're planning on some uncomfortable morning sex. I like it when a guy stores it all up just for me, so I can spit a bit out and keep a tiny specimen of them in my jar.



PUBIC HAIRDO

I was thinking about using hair straighteners on my pubes, to give my dick a cool emo fringe. I'm pretty certain it'll look boss, but my mate Craig said it would probably scare girls off. Who's right?

■ *Danny, Fife*

Men that use hair straightens on their hair disgust me enough, let alone on their pubes. Do you know how rank it is to find a bumhole via a shit jungle?



WEE'S A CROWD

I piss in the shower. I always have, I enjoy it. But I've just got a girlfriend, and she likes to share a shower with me. I've been holding it in, and I don't like it. How acceptable is it to start having a big old heavy piss when I'm in with her?

■ *Dai, Swansea*

Happened to me once and I properly enjoyed it. The shower wasn't quite hot enough but his piss was perfect, dancing all over my toes. That was the first time I tried drinking it, too.

POSITION OF THE MONTH

DONKEY PUNCH



DIFFICULTY: 5
ENJOYMENT: 4

DOs AND DON'Ts

#35 ...OF A PORN HABIT



The key to any decent porn habit is control; **DON'T** let it become an obsession where you have to watch every day before work, wanking at least five times just so you feel human. **DO** watch in moderation; when I watch it now it's like watching my nanny Pat doing the washing up – no effect due to overuse. **DO** mix up genres; I used to watch a different type every day, but don't wank over something if you don't actually like it, it's bad for the soul. **DON'T** force your girlfriend to watch it with you if she doesn't want to. It's a bit threatening, especially if it's depraved midgets fisting each other, covered in their own shit.

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■ *routeone.co.uk*

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Founded by London lad James, Muted clothing specialises in original designs on high quality garments! The owl jumper is now available in Cranberry! With a fast growing range and family of Ace bands and skaters, Muted clothing if defo one to

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■ *timewilltellclothing.com*

STREET RAT



Street Rat Apparel is a UK based independent clothing brand. Launched in January 2012 Street Rat supply clothing and accessories that are both genders specific as well as some unisex Garments.

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A STORY TO TELL

Hailing from Peterborough, A Story To Tell combine catchy hooks that create feel-good tracks that make you want to do something extreme, like hoover the house.

FOR FANS OF: All Time Low, You Me At Six, New Found Glory, Blink-182 and We The Kings.

■ *facebook.com/astorytotellmusic*

HYBRID MYTH

Hybrid Myth is a five-piece hardcore band from the south coast. Have a listen to their EP on their Facebook page and tell 'em we sent ya.

FOR FANS OF: Every Time I Die, Architects and Protest the Hero.

■ *facebook.com/hybridmyth*





AWAKE

■ *myspace.com/awakeukriseuk*

Awake's have recently released their new album, Forever More. These dudes want you to know they'll be playing at this year's Fused Festival. Cool by us. Check out their website.

FOR FANS OF: Dream Theatre, Metallica, Faith No More and Evenesance.

CAGED

■ *facebook.com/cagedrockband*

Caged are not just another four-piece hard-rock/metal band. The Essex boys who combine bone-crushing riffs with harmonised melodies. Check them out and vote for them in the Red Bull Bedroom Jam competition, yo.

FOR FANS OF: Disturbed, Drowning Pool, Bullet, Korn, Papa Roach, Dope, Stone Sour and Five Finger Death Punch.





LIFE GOES ON

Energetic and heavy hardcore for the champ you are. Life Goes On are a four-piece hardcore band from the north-west of England. They have a self-released six-track CD which is online for free download on their Facebook page.

FOR FANS OF: Woe, Is Me, We Came As Romans, Attack! Attack!, A Bullet For A Pretty Boy and Comeback Kid.

■ *facebook.com/lifegoesonuk*

LYCAN'S BLOOD

We quite like the name of the EP, The Dawn of Apocalypse, by this Kent based groove-metal band. Check out their Facebook for pictures, merch and, you guessed it, music.

FOR FANS OF: Cannibal Corpse, Arch Enemy, Lamb Of God and Iron Maiden.

■ *tinyurl.com/7ttzoa7*



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MARSHMELONES

These German lads won the title of Munich Act Of The Year 2011 which is pretty snazzy, and have since supported bands such as Dead By April and Rat Attack. Their First EP, Smile And Die, available online. Marshmelones FTW.

FOR FANS OF: A Day To Remember, Four Year Strong, A Traitor Like Judas, Deaf Havana and Tiki Bash.

■ *facebook.com/marshmelones*

THE AFTER AFFECT

The After Affect are a melodic post-hardcore band that play a mixture of sweet vocal harmonies with some heavy beatdowns and tapping riffs. They're all about promoting their new single, Taken Alive, which is due for release in late March. Check it out.

FOR FANS OF: Memphis May Fire, Young Guns and While She Sleeps.



■ *facebook.com/theafteraffectband*



SAINT THE SINNER

Saint The Sinner are a south coast post-hardcore/electronic band who are on tour with FFAF this year. Check out their Facebook for dates to see if they'll be coming to a UK venue near you. Or you go to them, you selfish brat.

FOR FANS OF: Memphis May Fire, We Came As Romans, Dream On, Dreamer, Woe, Is Me and A Bullet For A Pretty Boy.

■ *facebook.com/saintthesinnerofficial*

ODESSA

■ *facebook.com/ukodessa*

Metal dudes Odessa won the Time Will Tell band comp and have since been living up their success, touring the UK and Europe. It's a hard life.

FOR FANS OF: The Chariot, For The Fallen Dreams, Dead and Divine.



PRETTY STRANGE THINGS

Pretty Strange Things are a five-piece high-energy funk/power-rock band with some kick-ass chick vocals. Although new to the scene, they predict 2012 will be their year. Check out their Facebook or add them on Twitter, whichever tickles your pickle.

FOR FANS OF: Paramore, Alter Bridge, No Doubt, The Feeling and Red Hot Chili Peppers.



■ *facebook.com/prettystrangethingsmusic*



STAY THE NIGHT

Stay The Night are a pop-punk band from Leeds who formed in early 2011. Though Stay The Night are a young band with ages ranging from 16-18, don't underestimate their ability to write an awesomely catchy pop-punk song.

FOR FANS OF: New Found Glory.

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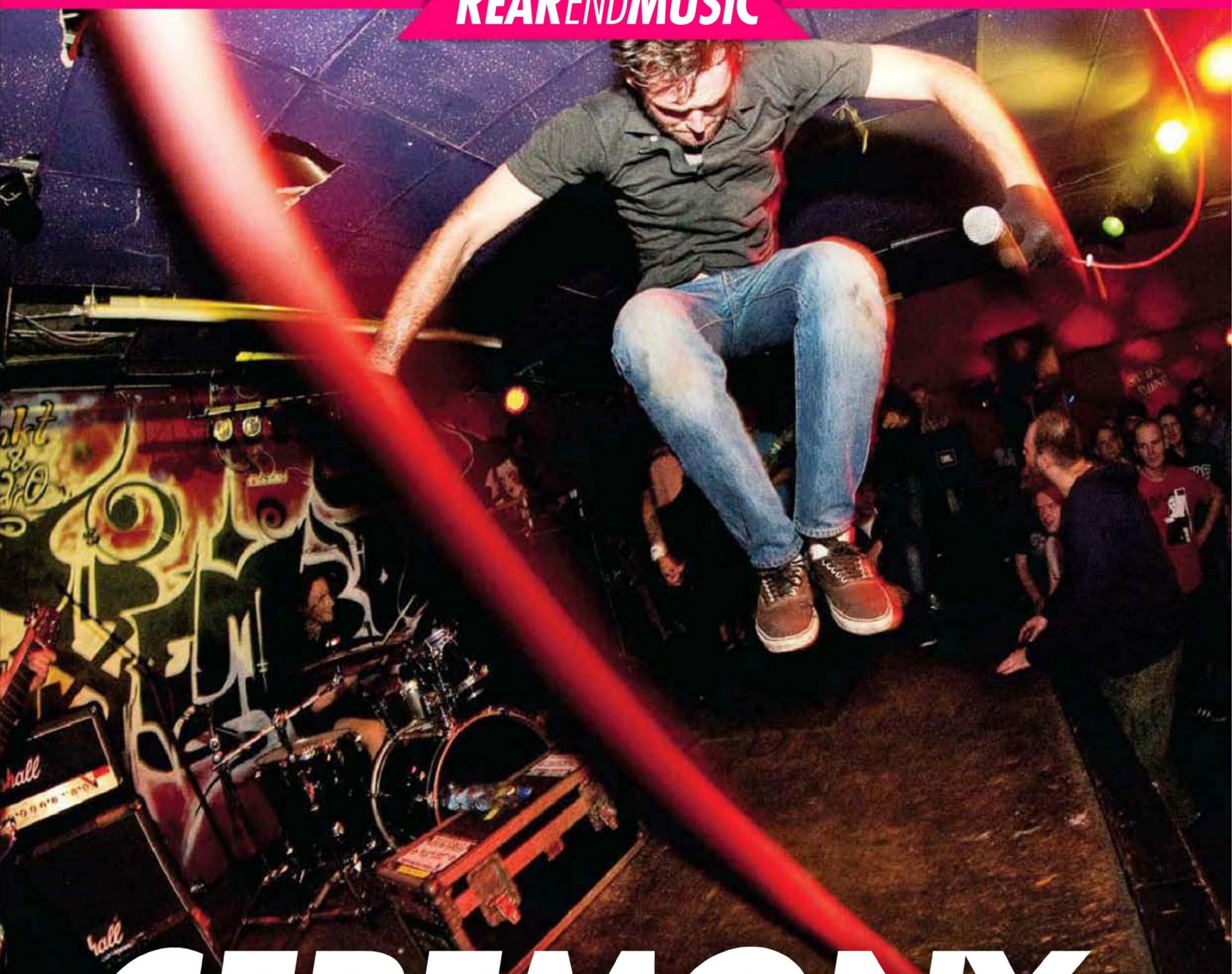
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CEREMONY

ZOO



WHILE BEING more punk than phlegming in the face of a police officer (don't actually do that, by the way – we've watched Police Camera Action and they will fuck you up big style), there's shades of Joy Division and The Cramps in this latest offering from Californian hardcore mob, Ceremony. They've gone from being the heaviest band in the ever, to chirruping out happier, more mum/aunt/freshly-born kitten-friendly tunes with this album, and it somehow works beautifully.

Best of all, there are moments that strut into rockabilly and surf-rock without being contrived or coming across all try-hard. It's a well bonks melting pot of sounds and influences and if you want your punk gnarly, grimy and unpredictable, this is an absolute winner.

IN A NUTSHELL:
PUNK, SURF-ROCK, ROCKABILLY, HARDCORE AND AN '80S GOTH FEEL IN ONE KICK-ASS COLLECTION. LIKE WE SAID, WELL BONKS.

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Out 6 March

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MORE CEREMONY STUFF AND THEIR LOLLEST LYRICS



FOUND ON: Ruined
DATE: 2005
LABEL: Malfunction Records
BEST LYRIC: "I'm going to throw this fucking bottle as hard as I can, hope it hits you in the teeth" – Throwing Bricks.



FOUND ON: Violence Violence
DATE: 2006
LABEL: Deathwish Inc./Malfunction Records
BEST LYRIC: "A long painful death is what you deserve. Open your mouth, bite the fucking curb" – Walking Home.



FOUND ON: Still Nothing Moves Us
DATE: 2008
LABEL: Bridge 9 Records
BEST LYRIC: "I watched my generation piss themselves" – The Difference Between Looking And Seeing.

MAIN PICTURE: MIKE BAJUR

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EVERY TIME I DIE
EX LIVES



AFTER SPENDING their last few albums straddling the world of southern-tinged riffing, ETID roll back the years with an album that recalls the white-hot feel of their Jäger-chugging classic, Hot Damn. Spending the majority of the album being as nasty as a shit-and-jizz smoothie, there's also a tune that would become a stripper anthem in a perfect world (Revival Mode) and one song even starts with a fucking BANJO! It doesn't matter who your favourite band are, they'd be better if they incorporated a banjo. Even Sub Focus would be better with a banjo.

IN A NUTSHELL: FACE-MELTING TUNES FROM ONE BAND AND THEIR BANJO.

★★★★★ *Out 6 March*

SHARKS
NO GODS



FOR THE VAST majority, the mid-'90s was a rad place to be. Pamela Anderson didn't have an STD, Rose McGowan didn't look like a caveman's mum and, for about ten of its 15 minutes of fame, Britpop was genuinely the most exciting genre in music. Sharks channel the best of those moments along with some serious Gaslight Anthem and The Clash vibes on their long-awaited debut album. There may be the odd moment that's more Dodgy than Blur, but for their first crack at a full-length album, this is an ass-kicker for all people who remember a time when Liam Gallagher wasn't a complete twunt.

IN A NUTSHELL: FEEL-GOOD TUNES FROM A BAND MORE ENGLISH THAN A BARBECUE IN THE PISSING RAIN.

★★★★★ *Out 19 March*



THE BOTS
HOW TO MAKE FRIENDS



IT'S NO SECRET that most of the Shoreditch-lite 'punk' thrown in your direction will be a giant load of slightly yellow dog shit. But now and then, there'll be a band that manage to drop bangers that make you want to bite into someone's head, Blanka style. Meet The Bots. The LA duo drip with hip-shaking sass and manage to ramp up the rowdy to Motörhead levels of carnage. A world away from S Club Juniors wanking into a hanky.

IN A NUTSHELL: TWO KIDS BRING THE RUCKUS.

★★★★★ *Out now*

SOULFLY
ENSLAVED



IF WE WERE to tell you that the new Soulfly album is killer (or "KEE-LAAHR" as Max says himself), we realise that it may be a bit like us telling you that the new Adam Sandler film is really funny, since it's been about the same length of time since either of them did something good. But be amazed, as it is good. Really, really fucking good. It's heavier than Ronaldo riding a lead elephant after eating a really dense cake and packed with first-class old school metal fury.

IN A NUTSHELL: ONE OF METAL'S MODERN GREATS ROLLING BACK THE YEARS AND RULING.

★★★★★ *Out 13 March*

CHIDDY BANG
BREAKFAST



NOW THAT THE hype machine has slowed down around Chiddy Bang, it's easier to judge them on their own relatively modest merits. The problem with the duo's sophomore effort is that everything's so 'meh' and beige. Party anthems with a blasé beat that sorely lack a real banger of a chorus, virtually non-existent wit within their flows and nothing that leaves you moved in any way. Chiddy haven't done bad – there's nothing terrible on offer, but there's just not much good either.

IN A NUTSHELL: THE MUSICAL EQUIVALENT OF A SUNDAY AFTERNOON MADEIRA CAKE.

★★★★★ *Out 5 March*

MENTAL METAL ART

OUT OF THE VAULT THIS MONTH...

BAND: BROKEN HOPE
GENRE: DEATH METAL
GORE RATING: ★★★★★
TEXT ILLEGIBILITY: ★★★★★
UPSET CAUSED TO SOCIETY: ★★★★★



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FPS

SYNDICATE

PC/PS3/XBOX 360



SYNDICATE PLAYS on the scary thought of what would happen if big corporations became mega über corporations and started implanting chips in our brains that made us buy all their shit and not think for ourselves. That's a grand thought for the next time you're glued to your Facebook for eight hours in one go as they silently syphon off all your personal information while you berate your mate Neville for licking his nan's knickers in his sleep (or whatever it is that you do on Facebook). See, big corporations are EVIL, and according to Syndicate, in the not-so-far-off future (2069) they won't just be controlling your personal info, they'll be controlling YOU. It's all so technological in Syndicate future land that you won't have social media (too amateur) and digital devices will have been made obsolete by bio-digital brain implants. Sounds... painful.

The game sees you steaming around all over the shop as Kilo, aka, Hugo-Boss-Terminator-on-Ritalin, a corporate enforcer agent with orders to protect and serve Eurocorp, one of the biggest syndicates in the world. With syndicates replacing pretty much everything (government, shops, homes), business has become an all-out war with dire consequences for personal freedom. It's an absolute war zone out there. Luckily, as a new prototype agent you have access to special mind powers to help you out, including the ability to make foes commit suicide – which is a tad harsh but does the darned trick.

Syndicate's vision of the future owes a huge debt to Blade Runner, with its neon hues and dilapidated Downzone areas, and also has a whiff of Portal about it in places, as there is quite a lot of puzzle-solving to be done in addition to the general FPS madness. The enemy A.I. in the campaign mode is exceptional, with even your bog-standard enemy reacting to combat like a real person would, chasing you around corners and hiding if you get your lasers out. Enemies are also rather aggressive, so if you think you can just take cover and pick them off, you'll be very much mistaken – you really have to keep moving. Melee kills are spectacularly brutal and it is here that we point out that the game has been banned in Australia for being too gory, so get ready to see more blood spatter than a handful of back-to-back Dexter episodes.



IN A NUTSHELL:

SLICK AS SLICK RICK COVERED IN BABY OIL SLIDING DOWN A WET HALLWAY LIKE A SEAL.

★★★★★ *Out 24 February*







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KINGDOM OF AMALUR: RECKONING

PC/PS3/XBOX 360

SO YOU WAKE up one day atop a pile of corpses. You wander round, scratch your bum and try to figure out how you got there before realising it was all the scotch egg's fault. That's kind of how this game starts (minus the iffy savoury snacks), except it turns out you actually DIED and you are the first person ever to be brought back to life by a magic well, and the first fateless person ever, which means you can actually change fate. It's an RPG. You know how their stories go.

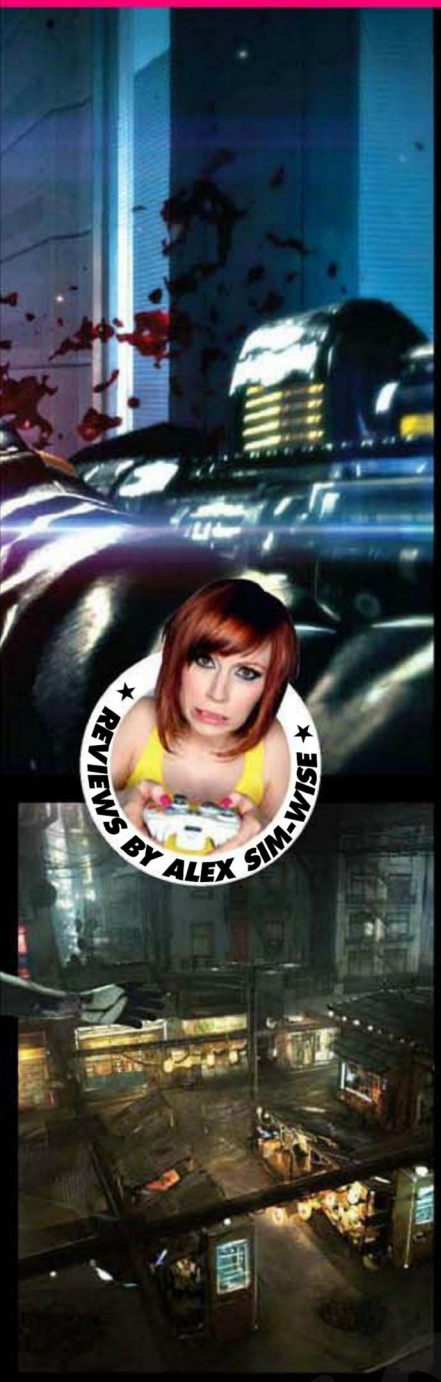
There are four races to choose from. I chose a Dokkalfar, the mage class, as they were well fit. Dokkalfar's main weapon is a staff, with daggers as a secondary, and tertiary magic skills. The combat is really cool and has a God Of War feel to it, utilising the occasional quicktime event. The camera angles can get a bit iffy though. It has other ups and downs too, for example, the conversation system is needlessly convoluted in places, but the stealth stealing system is awesome so it all balances out.

IN A NUTSHELL:

PREPARE FOR THE LIFE-CONSUMING COMPULSION TO FINISH THIS GAME.

★★★★★ *Out now*

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3 VISIONS OF THE FUTURE THAT DIDN'T COME TRUE



BACK TO THE FUTURE II

2015 isn't all that far away now, and although McFly's trainers are now real, we're definitely nowhere near having flying cars. D'oh!

AKIRA

According to Akira, we're supposed to be in the middle of a nuclear war right now. In fact, it was supposed to have started over 20 years ago.





QUANTUM LEAP

Sam Beckett was a time traveller all the way from the far-off future. Of 1999...









FIGHTING

UFC UNDISPUTED 3

PS3/XBOX 360

BEATING THE SHIT out of people in videogames is great. But a game that combines that with the unintentional hilarity of MMA fighting is just double win. UFC3 is the kind of game where one minute you're having a nice hug, casually rubbing your crotch on your opponent's leg, and the next you're brutally kicking them in the face until their blood covers the floor.

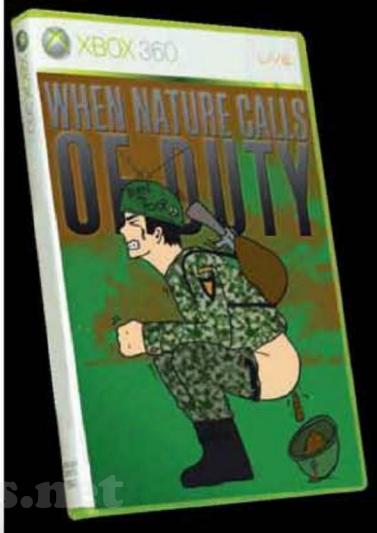
Still, UFC3 is actually a really technical game that will have any hardcore MMA fan brimming with glee. Face and body animations are incredibly realistic with life-like texturing, and all of your favourite fighters are present, including Rampage Jackson, who is massive. But most of all, it's perfect for a post-pub bragging match with your mates.



IN A NUTSHELL: MAN HUGS AND BLOOD, WHAT'S NOT TO LOVE?

★★★★★ *Out now*

GAMES WE'D LIKE TO SEE



NO. 33:

WHEN NATURE CALLS OF DUTY

Imagine if COD mainly involved shitting into your own helmet because you forgot to go for a poo in the morning. It would be an even more popular game than it already is.

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DVD

GAME OF THRONES

STARRING: SEAN BEAN, PETER DINKLAGE, KIT HARINGTON, DOGGY-STYLE SEX

IF WE'RE TO believe everything we see on TV (and we do), then all ye-olde people did was sex each other up and stab shit with massive swords. That's what fantasy fest Game Of Thrones has taught us anyway, and it's fucking well good.

Sean Bean heads up an ace cast of loyal kings and corrupt queens, but it's little bloke Tyrion Lannister (Peter Dinklage) who really steals the show. He may be small but he's super smart. This guy's so cunning, he could convince us it was a good idea to try a home circumcision with nothing but a cheese-grater and a stale crisp. If that made you grab your dangly bits and cringe, good, because that's just the kind of sadistic shit you're going to have to deal with if you want to call yourself a Game Of Thrones nerd. Power is the main currency here, and people die for it. No one's safe from sword attacks (both pork and sharp regular), as every character fights and fucks to survive. It's right up our sick street, basically. New favourite show, anyone? Yeah, we thought so.

IN A NUTSHELL: LORD OF THE RINGS WITH A BONER.

★★★★★ *Starts 5 March*

Q&A KIT HARINGTON AKA JON SNOW

HEY KIT, FIRST THING'S FIRST. WHO'S BETTER: JON SNOW OR KIT HARINGTON?
I think when David Benioff and Dan Weiss [writers/producers] auditioned me, the reports I got back were, "He's our Jon, he's the kind of guy we want playing him". There's quite a lot of me in him. I sort of share his outlook on the world.

ARE YOU DEAD GOOD AT SWORDS NOW?
I love the physical aspect involved. I love stage-fighting and if I can do a stunt in the show, I want to do it myself. I love it because when you're in a dialogue scene, you have to immerse yourself in what's happening, but with sword fighting it's just there already. I love that side of it. There's a whole load of it in season two, probably more so.

THERE'S A ZILLION FIGHT SCENES, BUT WERE THERE ANY OFF-SET BUST-UPS?
I think everyone got on. There were times when people actually got hurt, though. John Bradley who plays Samwell had loads of padding on but he just gets smacked with the sword again and again. He didn't complain at all but afterwards he had some serious bruises on him, he really took it. I my finger sliced open, too. There were times when it got painful, but everyone got on so well there weren't any bad feelings or any proper fighting that went on.

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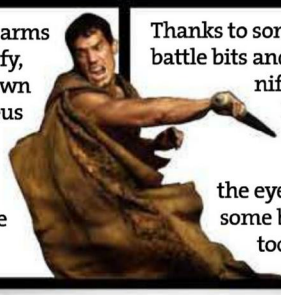
The other Jon Snow, the Channel 4 newsreader, is known for his vast collection of colourful ties and socks. What a crazy cat he is. MENTAL!!!



FURTHER VIEWINGS

	SERIOUSLY, WHAT'S THIS?	ANY FUCKING GOOD THEN?
DVD CONTAGION *Starring: Loads of famous people, germs* *Out 5 March*	Pale? Sweaty? Desperate for a poo? If so, you may have caught the deadly disease from this movie. Not even famous people are safe from it, so us normies wouldn't stand a chance. Matt Damon, Gwyneth Paltrow and a load of other disgustingly-handsome well-known faces find this out the hard way.	If you're a germaphobe then it'll probably leave you sweating harder than a caveman's ballsack. If not, chances are you'll enjoy watching this unstoppable virus systematically bugger the lives of everyone it comes into contact with. Although, next time you see someone sneeze on the train, kill them. Just to be safe. ***IN A NUTSHELL:*** DISEASES ARE SCARY. ★★★★★
DVD 30 ROCK SEASON 5 BOXSET *Out 12 March*	Good news, geeks. The woman of your wet dreams, Tina Fey, is back with the latest season of the goodest show ever to make it into UK shops. YESSS.	Yeah, it fucking is fucking good. But despite being one of the bestest shows around, it's still well hard to find on Brit TV. It'll do to your funnybones what naked ladies do to your willy, and we don't mean recoil in blatant disgust. ***IN A NUTSHELL:*** WELL DEAD ACE GOOD U.S TELLY. ★★★★★
FLICKS THE DEVIL INSIDE *Starring: No one you'd know* *Out 16 March*	A girl gets a couple of newbie priests to perform an exorcism on her crazy mum. She's been in a mental home for years after a demon made her do loads of killings and shit.	Fake doc shockers used to scare the socks right off of our smelly, crust-ridden feet, but not anymore. The genre has been irreparably ruined by shitloads of crappy cash-ins like this one. Go away, found-footage genre. We're not friends anymore. ***IN A NUTSHELL:*** A SHITTY SHOCKER. ★★★★★
DVD IMMORTALS *Starring: Henry Cavill, Mickey Rourke, The Gods* *Out 5 March*	Our wanking arms are pretty beefy, but home-grown warrior Theseus uses his grabbers to lead a whole revolution like a big boy.	Thanks to some tits, battle bits and a few nifty baddies, Immortals is like a blowjob for the eyes. It's got some boring bits too, though, like a disappointing handjob from someone who'd clearly rather be watching Deal Or No Deal. ***IN A NUTSHELL:*** NOT AS GOOD AS 300. ★★★★★





SWERVE THIS

KILL KEITH

Keith Chegwin, melon-headed star of Naked Jungle and erm, other things, probably, has his own movie. Meanwhile, Anchorman 2 is still awaiting the green light. There is no God.





TWILIGHT BREAKING DAWN PART 1

That grave-faced cunt is still a vampire, that fit girl still fancies him and we still don't give a shit. Give Blade a cameo and we may reconsider. Or not, whatever. Don't care...

FIAT 500 TWINAIR

£11,000

ENGINE: 900CC | **POWER:** 84BHP | **0-62MPH:** 11SEC
TOP SPEED: 108MPH (EST)

IF YOU'RE UNDER 25, you get deep-dicked by car insurance, so it's all about the small-engine rides. But small doesn't have to mean shit. In fact, these days, manufacturers have got their small car game strong and bang out some great-looking, fun-to-drive rides. One of our faves is the little Fiat 500 TwinAir. First up, it looks ace in a retro kinda way. There's even a cool panoramic sunroof to catch some rays on your noggin. Being small, it's also nippy, but best of all, it has a baby 900cc engine. Yes, many motorbikes have larger capacity engines, but this thing has an ickle turbo strapped to it. That, together with the trick TwinAir technology, means it's got some poke, but is more frugal than your great aunt Fanny. Lovely.

IN A NUTSHELL:
CHEAP TO RUN, BUT £11K BUYS A LOT OF BEERS...

★★★★★



QT

WILDCAT – £70,000

ENGINE: 3.LTR TWIN-TURBO DIESEL | **POWER:** 316BHP | **TOP SPEED:** 150MPH

ANYTHING THATS CALLED
Wildcat gets a big manly thumbs up from us. Like the doorman at your local club, this thing has pumped itself so full of 'roids, it's just gagging to slap someone. And just like the door monkey, it's got the power to back up the snarl. Underneath is a V6 lump that's been tuned to 316bhp, which means it's faster than your average Porsche. But as it's a diesel, the bugger won't cost a fortune to run. Actually that's bollocks. It costs a bomb to buy and shitloads to run. But while all the sad fuckers choose big Ferraris and Lambos, we'll take one of these. Oh yeah.

IN A NUTSHELL:
THE ALT LOTTO WINNER' CHOICE.

★★★★★



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FEISTY LITTLE FIAT

THREE CHEAP-TO-RUN ALTERNATIVES FOR COUNCIL ESTATE CASH



NISSAN MICRA

Bag a baby 1ltr Micra off an old Doris, then chuck some stickers on it. They're so shit, they're cool. Or something. And always in good nick cos old ladies drive 'em at 4mph, innit.

PRICE: FROM £200 (USED)

PEUGEOT 106 RALLYE

We've talked about these before, and that's cos they're kinda epic goddamn it! Properly ace handling, lively 1.3ltr engine and cost beans to buy.

PRICE: FROM £500 (USED)





VW POLO BREADVAN

The 'bread van' is a little gem. Well made and cheap to run and fix. You ain't going anywhere fast, so take a leaf out of the VW camper crew's book: "Go low and go slow".

PRICE: FROM £300 (USED)

LAMBRETTA

LT50 – £1,900

ENGINE: 50CC 2-STROKE | **POWER:** 3BHP **TOP SPEED:** 35MPH

SPEEDY '60s SCOOT



LAMBRETTAS ARE LIKE MacBooks – they look sweet as fook, make you want them bad, and you pay a hefty price for the privilege. Still, it's all about the looks for us, and the little LT50 is the cat's cock. With a simple but stunning style, the LT50 is all kinds of awesomeness. If you're after something to razz around and pull skids on, you'll hate it. Just don't ruin it by buying a matching helmet and shit. People will hate you in the face.

IN A NUTSHELL: MAY MAKE YOU RIDE TO BRIGHTON AND FIGHT SOME ROCKERS (ASK YOUR DAD).

★★★★★

NEWS

FERRARI LIMO

The owner of the world's only Ferrari limo has been threatened with legal action unless he takes all the badges off the car. They say the car is no longer a Ferrari as he added a 9.5ft bit in the middle. Kinda see their point, but everyone can see it's still a friggin' Ferrari.



EPIC FAIL

A dopey British driver has failed his theory driving test a record 92 times. Fucktard! The 28-year old Leicester man has spent over £2,800 on tests, according to The Sun. Another Leicester man failed his practical test 22 times, which cost him £1,650. Dur! Probably best avoid Leicester.



RETRO RIDE



NO. 24: FORD ESCORT XR3I

ENGINE: 1.6LTR 4-CYL | **POWER:** 105BHP
0-60MPH: 9SEC | **TOP SPEED:** 115MPH | **PRICE:** FROM £250

Everyone knows the '80s are cooler than a polar bear's nutsack, so this tasty little Ford is guaranteed to take you straight to the top of the cool kid pile. Powered by a lively 1.6ltr engine, it has nice alloys, a cool bodykit and is a proper little hot hatch. Loads of chavved-up shitheaps about, but find a standard one, stick some UB40 on the tape deck and give it some '80s large.

World's BIGGEST CUNTS

THE *firm-but-fair* PAGE THAT SORTS THE RAGING ARSEHOLES FROM THE MINOR WANKERS

VAUGHAN



Johnny Vaughan is as much a cunt today as he was on the Big cunting Breakfast. His facial expressions ruined all my mornings as a high-schooler, and the way he chips in and out of my adult life serves as a reminder of his unbearable crimes against cunt.

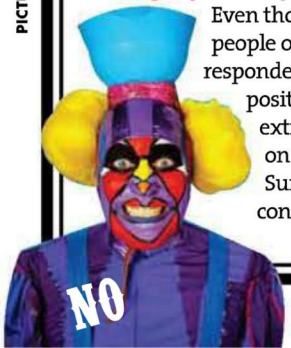
Joey Brannigan, via e-mail

Hmm, Joey, we're not sure about this. He can come across as kind of smug sometimes, and since he lost his hair he's become really strange to look at. However, one member of the FRONT staff once won £251 from his short-lived BBC Three chat show. No cunt is Vaughan, not today.

FIELDING

Noel Fielding's Luxury Comedy isn't funny, makes no sense and embarrasses me just watching it. It's as if Tracey Emin fucked Mr. Blobby, then the offspring did so much acid, it fell into a coma and had this as a fever dream. It's a load of steaming wank that should be stuffed sideways up Fielding's arse. Fuck Noel Fielding, man. Fuck him HARD. I'm sure he's probably a nice guy when he's at home, but I'd still stab him SO MANY TIMES IN THE FACE, HITCHCOCK STYLE.

Protag22, frontarmy.com Forum



Even though a lot of people on the forum responded to this positively, it seems extreme to put him on the Cuntdown. Sure, he has that constant I-fucked-your-sister facial expression. Sure, his, "I'm mad, hey, imagine a Cockney wasp stuck in a ferry" schtick gets weary quick. But surely the fact that we've got a mainstream comedy show as fucking bonkers and drug-fuelled as Noel Fielding's Luxury Comedy is something to be proud of. It's not funny, but we can't have everything. He's the most fallen-on-his-feet dick in the world, and Julian Barratt was clearly the talented one in that double-act, but no cunt is Noel.

PARSONS

Andy Parsons of Mock The Week 'fame' can snort my fucking hoop. He sounds like a fucking goat and thinks he's a million miles funnier than he actually is. He can cock one off the edge of the earth, cunt.

DannyLaa, frontarmy.com Forum

Absofuckingyes. He pronounces every sentence as if it's a punchline – it's the most irritating vocal tic since time began. Imagine listening to him getting a blowjob. You'd be thinking, "Uh, should I be laughing?". And he looks like if an egg went to a fancy dress party as Dogtanian.

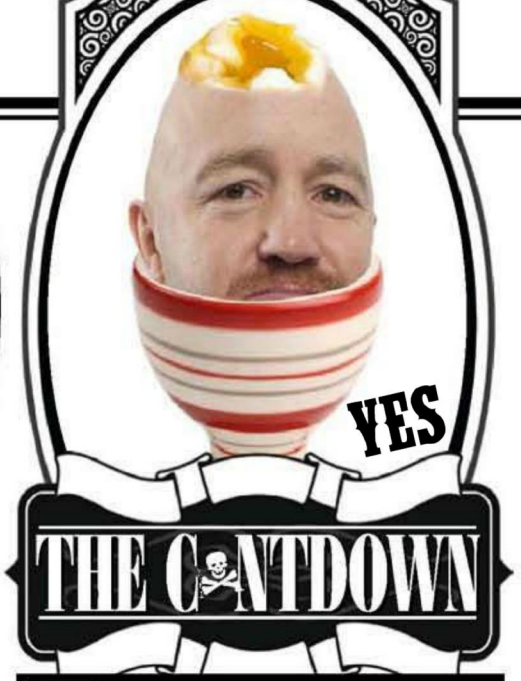
OLIVER



Neil Oliver from BBC's Coast is a cunt, skulking coastlines with his posse of geeky know-it-all cunts. What does that anorak-sporting cunt keep in that record bag, apart from a huge lighthouse-shaped dildo to pleasure his soulless self, the trowel-faced-cunt?

Chris McHugh, via e-mail

Wow, Chris. Coast? Coast is the least offensive thing in the world – it's just some nice weirdos being really enthusiastic about the Scilly Isles.



THE CUNTDOWN

1	ANDY PARSONS Egg-headed overemphasising cunt.	NEW ENTRY
2	RUSSELL KANE Dick-quiffed, over-accessorised shitcunt.	▼
3	CHECKOUT BAGGING AREA Man-stands-near-you-cos-you-don't-work cunt.	▲
4	ONE DIRECTION L-R: Cunt, cunt, cunt, dickhead, cunt.	▼
5	ROBERT PATTINSON Face-like-a-duck's-foot cunt.	▲
6	EDWARD CULLEN Face-like-a-shiny-duck's-foot cunt.	▲
7	BONO U2? UShit, more like.	▲
8	BRIAN OFF MISFITS Calcium cunt.	▼
9	OLLY MURS Trilbied dildo. Also cunt.	▼
10	JEREMY KYLE ETC Responsible-for-the-downfall-of-humanity cunt.	NEW ENTRY

KYLE AND FRIENDS



Jeremy Kyle and every cunt that produces, edits and credits that cunt of a programme, giving that cunt the fame he craves. Cunts of the highest cunting order from Cunt Street, Cunt Town, Cunt fucking Kingdom! Cunt!

Nick Davison, Facebook

Yeah yeah yeah yeah yeah Nick, he's a cunt, we know, yeah yeah yeah yeah yeah. Cool.

WHO'S MISSING?

Give us a cunt! Who riles you to the point of frantic violence? Put your anger into words and let FRONT spread your spite across the land. Let us know:

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